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THREW PEPPER

Tramp Tried to Blind Mrs. Mansfield

A villainous rascal of the hobo species attempted to blind Mrs. Susie Mansfield of White street by throwing pepper in her face at her home this forenoon.

He called at the house and asked for a cup of tea, which was given him. He lingered at the table, remarking that the tea was too hot to drink, and as Mrs. Mansfield approached the table he took a handful of pepper from his pocket and threw it at her, intending it for her eyes. She dodged it, however, and screamed. The tramp made good his escape.

Mrs. Mansfield telephoned to the police station and told the police her story. She described the man as well as she could. She said he was a tramp about 40 years old, five feet seven or eight inches tall, heavy dark moustache and wore dark clothes.

DEMENTED MAN

Missing From His Home at Brookside

John Henry, a resident of Brookside, has been missing from his home since Monday morning.

Henry is slightly demented and his relatives are extremely anxious as to his whereabouts.

A big black and white Newfoundland dog, Mr. Henry's constant companion, is also missing, and it is believed that he went with his master, a fact that affords the family a certain feeling of security. The dog is unusually intelligent and would, in the opinion of the family, in some way give the alarm if anything serious happened to his master.

Mr. Henry is 30 years old, five feet four inches in height, medium build, smooth face, light complexion. He wore a dark suit, blue cap, and negligee shirt. He did not wear a necktie. Any information concerning him will be gladly received at this office and communicated to the relatives.

THE OPEN SHOP

Organized Labor Declares Against It

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—A resolution was introduced at the American Federation of Labor convention today to the effect that the "so-called open shop" whether under private or government control "cannot be recognized by organized labor."

The preamble states that the resolution is based on the Miller case growing out of trouble in the government printing office and President Roosevelt's decision in the matter.

CAUGHT IN SHAFT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FRANKLIN, N. H., Nov. 12—Leonard Philbrook, aged 35, an employe at the Franklin Woolen mills, was caught by a rapidly revolving shaft yesterday and killed.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight. Friday, fair and colder; fresh westerly winds.

HERE'S FOOT PROTECTION

to men whose business exposes them to the elements, and who need a protecting shoe. "The Storm King," the best outdoor shoe ever built, cut 8 inches high, leather lined, double sole to the heel—an ideal shoe for men whose vocation exposes them to cold and dampness. A shoe that will keep their feet dry and warm. A shoe containing so much worth and service would be cheap at $5.00. Our price is $4.00.

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TEXTILE SCHOOL

Defeated the Somerville High Eleven

The Lowell Textile school football team went to Somerville yesterday afternoon and defeated the Somerville High and Latin team by a score of 5 to 0. In fact, the local team played two different teams, the second eleven playing against the Textile school in the first half, while in the second half the first eleven lined up.

The lineup and summary:

LOWELL TEXTILE.	SOMERVILLE.
Midwood le	re Bishop (Burns)
Prior lt	rt Driscoll
Dewey lg	rg Sewell (Hall)
Jury c	c Lamont (Graves)
Julia rg	lg Duhig (Stacy)
Brookhouse (Lacy) rt	lt Frost
Donnellan (Kent) re	le Trueman (Davis)
Currier qb	qb Elliott (Doair)
Baldwin lhb	rhb Bowlby (Hafford)
Curtis rhb	lhb Bean
Church fb	fb Lakin (McLaughlin)

Score, Lowell Textile 5, Somerville High 0. Touchdown, Curtis. Umpire, Storey. Referee, White. Linesmen, Stone and Moore. Timers, Wentworth and Marra. Time, 15m. halves.

COMMUNICATION

Editor of The Sun:

Please inform me through The Sun whether this is Fred Roark's second or third year as purchasing agent, and oblige a reader of The Sun.

He is serving his third year as purchasing agent.—Ed.

INDUSTRY COUNCIL

DEFEATED JOHN ERICKSON IN BOWLING TOURNAMENT.

Industry council defeated John Erickson council in the Royal Arcanum league last night at Les Miserables alleys. It was easy going for the winners, for they took all three strings and the game. Simpson of the winning team was high man with a three-string total of 291 pins, while Ellison's single string of 83 was the best made during the evening. The score:

Industry—Durrough 226, Richard 293, Walker 224, Simpson 291, O'Donnell 204; total 1038.

John Erickson—Ahlbert 225, Ellison 226, Palm 175, Pihl 200, Peterson 227; total 1053.

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

Last season nearly 50 honoraries neglected to buy their tickets till after the first recital. This seems entirely unnecessary and will not happen this year if one secures his seats today. Besides the most desirable seats are rapidly disappearing. The recitals are of such high quality and so attractive that one should not hesitate long in buying a season ticket especially since it is far cheaper than single tickets. The hall is going to be full, and the enjoyment is so much enhanced when sitting in a desirable seat. To hear Ruby Cutter Savage and her husband, Paul Savage, who appear at the first recital, next Sunday, is alone worth almost the price of a season ticket. Ruby Cutter is in the first rank of American sopranos, and is soon to enter grand opera. Of Paul Savage, who is the nephew of Rev. J. Minot Savage of Boston, the Paris Figaro says: "His singing at the concert under the patronage of the Countess de Cossigon was remarkable for its repose and breadth of style. Mons. Savage showed that he had splendid control of his voice for either salon work or the larger field of opera." Each recital will be a gem in itself. Go to Austin's today.

Sale on new Jackets, new Suits, new Furs; Chris. Holmes' Specialty store, 124 and 126 Merrimack street.

WILLIAM H. WHITE

THE LATE WILLIAM H. WHITE.

Prominent Resident of Lowell is Dead

William Henry White, one of Lowell's leading citizens and businessmen, died suddenly this morning at his farm in Pittsfield, N. H. The deceased was 74 years of age.

Mr. White was born in Woburn, Mass., Oct. 26, 1829. He received his early education in the common elementary schools of Woburn and Winchester, Mass., and at Sheppard's academy.

From his 20th year he was apprenticed as a machinist, during which time he persistently pursued his studies in geometry and draughting, after which he accepted a position in the locomotive shops of the Boston & Lowell railroad at East Cambridge, Mass., and later for a while was employed as an engineer between Boston and Lowell. He then accepted a position as assistant master mechanic at Hornellsville, N. Y., nd then at Dunkirk, N. Y., (terminus at that time) of the New York and Erie railroad.

He was the first man to occupy and put in working order the extensive works known for many years as the Brooks Locomotive works. While there he was offered a partnership in the then very profitable business of purchasing and sawing all foreign woods for furniture, pianos and other various work, with a mill in Winchester, Mass., and salesroom in Boston.

The mill in Winchester was a few years later destroyed by fire. Selling his interest in that business he then turned his attention to the leather business, and soon was induced by a Boston firm to locate and build in Montreal an extensive modern tannery with complete equipments. This was most satisfactorily accomplished, locating at the junction of the Lachine Canal and Grand Trunk railroad. He remained with the firm about five years and returning to this state he located in Lowell in 1869, and began the manufacture of leather.

The force employed at first was very small, only himself and one or two men. The business was gradually increased, for the goods made were of a character to be well appreciated by the best trade and it gradually increased in its details years by year. He had associated with him a brother and later a Mr. Kilburn of Boston, and established a salesroom in Boston, under the name of White Bros. & Kilburn, and later Mr. Kilburn retiring, a son of each partner was admitted, forming the firm of White Bros. & Sons, who continued business for several years. This partnership came to an end by purchase in 1887. Mr White and his son, E. L., formed a partnership then by admitting two other sons, H. K. and W. T. White under the name of White Bros. & Co. Within several years the above firm consolidated with other leather companies and formed what is known as the American Hide & Leather company. The companies were reorganized and new officers elected and Mr. White was one of the large stockholders of the new concern.

The deceased was a republican in politics and a member of the common council of this city in 1885. He was a member of the High street Congregational church and a director of the Lowell Young Men's Christian association, a director in the Prescott National bank and a trustee of the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank. He resided at 250 Nesmith street

$250,000 FIRE IN ALBIA

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBIA, IOWA, NOV. 12.—FIRE THAT BROKE OUT EARLY TODAY IN THE LODES' DRY GOODS STORE, COMPLETELY DESTROYED THE BUSINESS PORTION OF THIS TOWN.

LOSS, $250,000.

SALE AND SUPPER

BY LADIES OF IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH.

A sale and supper were held by the Ladies Aid Society of the Immanuel Baptist church at the home of Mrs. Mary Gillespie, 121 Lincoln street, last evening.

The sale proper commenced about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, but supper, which drew forth the large crowd, did not take place until 6. Four tables were exhibited.

The tables and their managers were: Mystery table—Mrs. Eli Harris and Mrs. Elisha Harris; Candy table—Miss Etta Estabrook, Miss Etta Wedge; Fancy table—Mrs. A. M. Lawson and Mrs. T. F. Severance; Ice Cream table—Mrs. Alice Otley, Miss Sadie Shrigley and Miss Edith Wedge. The supper was personally supervised by Mrs. Gillespie.

One of the most attractive articles presented was an album quilt, with names on it of hundreds of persons, worked in red silk. Thirty-five squares made up the quilt. All of the ladies in the society assisted in the making of this. Several fancy articles sent by the family of William P. Edwards, of Monongahela, Pa., formerly a member of the church, were disposed of.

The entertainment was under the direction of W. J. Beaven. The pianists were Misses Etta Estabrook and Gertrude Harris. Songs were given by Miss Isabel Gillespie.

About $60 was realized from the sale.

STOPPED A RUNAWAY.

Frank J. McNally brought a runaway horse to a standstill yesterday afternoon about 4.30 o'clock. The horse belonged to Frye & Crawford and came rushing through Middle street at a rapid rate of speed. After going the length of Middle street the animal turned into Shattuck, but McNally stopped him before reaching Merrimack street.

SEVERE STORM

DID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE IN WESTERN STATES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 12—The whole Pacific coast from British Columbia to Southern California and the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Wyoming, Utah and western Colorado were swept by a storm yesterday that has resulted in almost total prostration of telegraphic service over that territory and in the mountains has all but tied up the railroads in a regular midwinter blockade. The storm, which is still raging with unabated fury, is severest on the coast. So far, however, no marine disasters have been reported. In the gorges of Cascade mountains snow is reported to be four feet deep on the level.

JOHN SMITH IMPROVING.

John A. Smith, the well-known junk dealer, who was taken to the Lowell hospital Monday suffering from a paralytic shock, and who was in a very critical condition, showed signs of improvement this morning by holding a short conversation with the people at the hospital. The authorities feel confident that he will recover.

LYDIA YEAMANS-TITUS.

Lydia Yeamans-Titus is the magnet that is drawing immense crowds to the Casto theatre this week, and they are thoroughly satisfied with the current offering at the popular Shattuck street theatre. Manager Haynes has displayed excellent judgment in the selection of this week's bill and it is one that all will enjoy. In addition to Miss Titus, the program contains some of the leading acts of the vaudeville world. Reserved seats can be ordered by telephone, 815-3.

CARNEGIE'S LIBRARY ACCEPTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCKPORT, Mass., Nov. 12—The town voted last night, 118 to 3, to accept Andrew Carnegie's offer of $10,000 for a public library

NO REDUCTION

Of the Textile Operatives' Wages in Lowell

Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills will not say whether or not there is likely to be a reduction in the wages of the cotton operatives in Lowell, as in Fall River and other cities.

Agents of other mills, however, have stated that there will be no reduction in the wages of the textile operatives

"I do not want to be interviewed on the question," was all Mr. Southworth would say when asked to make a statement.

One of Mr. Southworth's bosses, Treasurer Arthur T. Lyman, representing the major portion of the mill interests of this city, said last evening that he was not aware that any reduction in wages was contemplated by the mills in this city.

He explained that when the increase of 10 per cent. was made in the wages of operatives in the cotton mills at Fall River, New Bedford and other southern New England points, about a year and a half ago, the increase was not met by the Lowell mills nor others in the northern portion of New England, and the present reduction at Fall River simply places the mills there substantially on the same wage-paying basis as exists at Lowell and elsewhere north of Boston.

WITH HATCHET

Demented Man Tried to Kill Himself

Her husband on his knees in the sitting room, hatchet in hand, and blood streaming from a series of wounds in his head and face, was the horrible sight that met Mrs. Albert Estabrook's eyes as she entered the room at her home, 29 Perkins street, on the Lawrence corporation, this forenoon.

Estabrook is demented and is now at the corporation hospital and the doctors there say he will recover. The worst cut is near his left temple, but the doctors say it is not very deep.

SECOND ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE.

It was the second attempt that Estabrook made on his life within the last 24 hours. Yesterday noon he tried to hang himself to a beam in the cellar at his home and would have succeeded but for the timely appearance of his wife. She had nothing with which to cut the cord that held him to the beam, but by an almost superhuman effort she managed to break it.

STRICKEN WITH A SHOCK.

Estabrooks present state of mind dates back to about three weeks ago when he was stricken with a shock. His father died of a shock and Estabrook, for the last year or so, has frequently said to his wife, that he thought he would die as his father died. He recovered, however, from the shock of three weeks, but it was too much for his mind and symptoms of insanity grew apace. He talked almost incessantly about his physical condition and his wife has had all she could do to care for him.

TO THE INSANE ASYLUM.

After the would-be suicide had been taken in the ambulance to the Corporation hospital, Mrs. Estabrook called at Judge Hadley's office and said she would like to have her husband committed to the asylum at Worcester. The judge heard her story and Estabrook will be examined as to sanity as soon as he has sufficiently recovered.

HER TERRIBLE STRAIN.

To a Sun reporter Mrs. Estabrook, whose nervous condition, owing to the terrible strain under which she has been for the last three weeks, is pitiable, said:

"My husband has been insane ever since he had a shock three weeks ago. He lost the use of his limbs for a while and he lost his mind entirely. He has been a little demented, I think, for over a year but he is insane now. He tried to commit suicide yesterday by hanging and I got to him just in time. He came home to dinner and at first he said he wouldn't eat anything. I coaxed him to eat and he finally agreed to sit down. He had a small cord in his hand and he held it while he was at the table. After dinner he went down cellar and after he had been gone a few minutes I followed him. I feared he would try to commit suicide, because he had threatened to several times. He was nearly gone when I arrived and I had just strength enough left to break the rope.

"I will never forget the sight that met my eyes as I entered the room this forenoon and found him on his knees with that bloody hatchet in his hand, his head a mass of cuts and the mats and carpet red with blood. I screamed and grabbed the hatchet; neighbors came to my assistance and the ambulance was summoned. Only God and myself know what I have suffered during the last three weeks. And now to think that he has to be sent to an asylum seems more than I can stand." Mrs. Estabrook was so weak that she had to rest several times in the course of her story.

Big time at Prescott hall, Friday evening.

GOLD TRIMMED.

You can see a set of artificial teeth that will make your mouth water by calling at the office of Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, the only dentist who extracts teeth without your feeling it. He uses Eu-Cola, that does it.

Best dancers in city will be at Prescott hall, Friday evening.

Ladies' and Misses' Outside Garments in all the latest novelties, at Chris. Holmes', 124 and 126 Merrimack street.

OPENING OF RESERVED SEAT PLAN.

The reserved seat sale for the Star Course of entertainments, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., will open at the Association building Friday morning at 9 o'clock. The advance sale of course tickets has been very satisfactory, there being eight hundred disposed of already, which, with the single tickets that will probably be purchased for the different entertainments, will likely make an audience of a thousand people at each performance. The opening number on Monday evening is certainly a strong attraction and one that cannot fail to please.

The New York Herald, speaking of the well-known Park Sisters, says: "The Park Sisters were even better than ever. The harmonious blending of these instruments was as perfect as that of the human voice, while their execution was marvelously rendered. Miss Georgie Park's execution on the mandolin cannot be excelled."

Of Frederic Martin the Burlington (Vt.,) Free Press says: "Mr. Martin is the fortunate possessor of an excellent basso-cantante voice, well trained and excellently managed. His rendition of Meyerbeer's aria 'The Monk,' was dramatic, forceful and sombre, while in 'Vision Fair' from Massenet's opera 'Herodiade,' he showed imaginative power of a keen and superior order."

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"We have noticed a steady increase in the demand for Ayer's Hair Vigor during the last few months."

On Nov. 5, 1903, thirty Lowell druggists were requested to report on the sales of Dr. Ayer's Family Medicines during the past year. Without exception each druggist reported an increase. J. C. AYER CO.

NOTICE

To the Carpenters, Cabinet Makers and Machine Wood Workers of Lowell. There will be a special open meeting at Spinners' hall, 22 Middle street, Nov. 13, 1903, at 8 o'clock. Carpenters, cabinet makers, shop carpenters and machine workers are especially invited. General Secretary Duffy of U. B. of C., and J. of A., Brother William J. Shields of Boston, will speak and other prominent speakers will be present. There will be a varied entertainment and refreshments will be served.

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FEDERATED HOSTS

At the Great Labor Convention in Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11—The session of the convention of the American Federation of Labor was resumed today at Faneuil hall, with almost all the delegates in attendance.

After the reports of the various committees had been read yesterday and the perplexing questions of the seating or the unseating of the protested delegates, had been disposed of, a large number of resolutions were offered by members of the convention and the plan of the convention as arranged for today was that the committee on distribution should see these in the hands of the proper committees, so that consideration of them might speedily be begun.

These resolutions are upon a great variety of subjects. Many are a protest against alleged unlawful assumption of jurisdiction by stated affiliated unions, but most of them are intended to commit the federation to some determined policy in connection with the great questions of the day.

President Gompers' idea was to expedite business at the forenoon session today, because in the afternoon the delegates were to take part in an excursion down the harbor as the guests of Mayor Collins.

After the session had been opened, William Mullen, a fraternal delegate from the federation of Great Britain, was called upon by President Gompers for a brief address.

Mr. Mullen spoke on the trade conditions in Great Britain. He said they had found there that a big bank account in the union was a great source of strength. He expressed his opinion that as one reason of the Taff-Vale case in England, by which unions could be sued for boycotting the labor men it would seem a great number of labor candidates to parliament to work on trades union lines.

James O'Grady, the other British delegate, was next introduced. He suggested that the success of the trades unionists in England has been due to the fact that they have adapted themselves to the conditions surrounding them. Now that political action had been taken by the unions, greater success seemed assured. The unions were to have their own candidates, who would belong to no party and who would seek to bring about legislation which would assist the laboring class.

Mr. O'Grady went on to offer a criticism of the court justices of England.

Passing to a consideration of the relations between the American and the British unionists, he made an earnest plea that the representatives of labor in both countries work in harmony together.

In closing the speaker predicted that not only will the two great bodies of workingmen join in the endeavor, but also they will blend into one great universal body of organized labor, the greatest organization the world has ever seen and one which will bring about the greatest good for the whole people that the world has ever seen. This suggestion of an international federation was received with prolonged cheers.

James Simpson of Toronto, the fraternal delegate from the Canadian trade congress and a member of the International Typographical union, next addressed the convention. He asked that the federation take some action approving the action of Canadian trades unions in joining the Canadian trades congress and some action, also, recommending that the policy affiliating with the trades congress be extended throughout the Dominion.

President Gompers for the federation presented each of the fraternal delegates with an official badge, appropriately inscribed, at the same time responding to the addresses.

A sincere welcome was accorded Miss Harriette Keyser, or New York, delegate from the Church Association for the Advancement of the Interest of Labor. Miss Keyser denounced with emphasis the system of licensing the work in the tenement house district of New York city and called for the abolishment of the "sweat shop" and child labor.

A telegram was read from Cleveland, Ohio, from the secretary of the International Union of Bakers and Confectioners, objecting to the vote of the federation whereby delegates Steel and Guild were declared not properly accredited to the convention and were refused seats. It was agreed to allow the matter to go over until tomorrow when the convention next meets.

The credential committee reported that delegate Ernest Bohm, representing the central federated union of New York city, be seated notwithstanding the objection of the Brewers' union.

At 12.30 o'clock the convention voted to postpone action upon this question until tomorrow, also, and an adjournment was taken to permit the pleasure excursion of the afternoon. This had been changed from a trip down the harbor to a trolley ride in Boston and its vicinity. At 2 o'clock electrics were taken at the Revere House and the ride was begun.

HALL BARRICADED

Outbreaks Feared at Birmingham Meeting Tonight

By Associated Press to The Sun

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Nov. 11—Political feeling is running so high here over the meeting tonight at which Lord Hugh Cecil and Winston Churchill will oppose Joseph Chamberlain's fiscal policy that extraordinary police precautions have been necessary.

Strong barricades are being erected around the town hall, where it is anticipated an outbreak may occur, similar to the riot proceedings which marked the pro-Boer meeting at which David Lloyd George, M. P., denounced Mr. Chamberlain and the South African war. Sandwich men are parading the streets with placards reading:

"Shall the radicals be allowed to oppose our Joe?" and inviting the working people to attend the meeting.

Thousands of people have gathered outside of the town hall.

SHORT HANDED

OPTICAL FACTORIES WILL FIGHT THE UNIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOUTHBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 11.—All the optical factories in Southbridge which have combined to resist the movement of their employes in forming unions, were running short handed again today with one exception. At the American Optical Works, the largest plant in Southbridge, about three-quarters of the force was at work a number of employes having gone in while some who were working yesterday remained away today.

At the Dupuni-Young company's plant 10 additional men left the shops today and more were expected to follow. At the Harrington cutlery company's factory most of the employes were at work.

T. Jerome Harrington & Company were running with very little help. It is now estimated that in all the factories about 250 men are idle out of 1400. Most of those out of work belong to the union and declare that they will hold out as long as the various concerns maintain their present attitude.

The manufacturers claim that they will be able to get outside men to take the places of those who decline to go in under the conditions named and they do not regard the situation as a serious one.

SHIPPING TRADE

IS TROUBLING THE LIVERPOOL OWNERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 11.—The depression in the sailing shipping trade is so serious as to lead to a drastic proposal of the Liverpool, owners for an international combination whereby a certain proportion of the sailing tonnage of Great Britain, France and Germany should temporarily be laid up, with the view of improving the freight market. Meetings have been held of the German and British owners and the French owners will meet tomorrow to discuss the crisis, which is attributed here to the freight cutting tactics of the French who, in consequence of state subsidies, are enabled to accept lower rates. It is hoped that the discussion will lead to steps which will ameliorate the situation.

BLACKSMITHS' STRIKE

WILL BE SETTLED THIS WEEK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Nov. 11.—There is every possibility that the blacksmiths' strike in West Springfield at the Boston & Albany railroad shops will be settled this week. The management of the strike since the coming of Vice-President Cummings to this city has been in his hands and by his advice the men will apply for their old places.

TO RESTORE ORDER

THAT IS WHY TROOPS WENT TO MUKDEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov 11—A dispatch from Port Arthur, received here says, in reference to the statement on the subject published in the foreign press:

"It is declared here that the 400 troops ordered to Mukden were sent there solely for the purpose of restoring order. No other measures have been taken."

INSTANTLY KILLED

YOUNG WOMAN THROWN IN FRONT OF CAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 11.—Miss Douglas Calhoun, prominent in society circles and a member of an aristocratic family, was killed by a car last night. The young lady, her brother and a woman friend were taking a horseback ride. At the approach of the car the animal became frightened and Miss Calhoun was thrown immediately in front of the rapidly moving car and instantly killed.

Does Your Head Itch?

A New York man, who requests us to withhold his name, writes: "For years my head has itched and itched, annoying me fearfully at times. I tried ZEMA-CURA. It gave me instant relief. I continued to use it and now I am cured." All druggists tell ZEMA-CURA. $1.00.

THE BLACKLIST

Antrim People Want Names Removed

PETITION PRESENTED TO EX-GOV. GOODELL

Claim Action is Insult to the Town

By Associated Press to The Sun

ANTRIM, N. H., Nov. 11—A large number of the residents of Antrim have united in a movement to have their names removed from the liquor blacklist which was posted last week in a hotel at Hillsborough bridge by former Governor David H. Goodell of this town. The hotel is the only place in this section where liquor is sold and under the license laws the ex-governor, acting in his capacity of justice of the peace, was able to place the names of all the male residents of Antrim more than 21 years old on a list posted at the hotel. The landlord was ordered to sell no liquor to anyone whose name was thus posted.

The ex-governor's action created much opposition and as a result 141 of the 410 persons whose names were used, have presented a formal demand to Mr. Goodell that they be removed from the blacklist. The text of the demand follows:

"We, the undersigned, learning that our names are on what is termed the 'blacklist,' containing the names of the voters and male residents of Antrim which you caused to be placed in the bar room of the Valley hotel in Hillsborough, where liquors are sold, hereby demand of you that our names be stricken from said list at once. We consider your action in this matter an insult to our fair town and her people and a detriment to our good name and standing, and for this reason make the above demand."

The circulators of the petition state that the signatures on the demand presented do not include all who are in sympathy with the move.

The signers are headed with the names of the members of the board of selectmen and members of the school board and scattered all down the list are the names of substantial business men.

Mr. Goodell says:

"I have received the paper demanding the withdrawal of the names, but have determined upon no definite action as yet. I can see no reason for a change in the position originally taken by me in the matter, and shall make none until further consideration has been given. I am much surprised and disappointed that the people here feel that they have been misused by me. I can't see yet how it was possible to come to any such conclusion."

FOR ROOSEVELT

WHITES AND BLACKS ADOPT HIS POLICY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 11—The Alabama supporters of President Roosevelt, white and black, have pledged their support to the president's known policy.

At a conference of more than 60 republicans resolutions declaring that negroes should have place on the delegation to the next national republican convention as well as representation on all sub-committees were adopted without discussion.

Captain Charles H. Scott of Montgomery was endorsed for Alabama's member of the national republican committee to succeed Captain J. W. Dimmick.

SPANISH CABINET

THREATENS TO RESIGN IN A BODY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MADRID, Nov. 11—Premier Villaverde has informed Senor Salmeron, the republican leader, who yesterday challenged him to fight a duel, as a result of the premier's speech in the chamber of deputies, reproaching the republican for obstruction, that he cannot engage in a duel while he is a minister.

The cabinet ministers say that unless after the debate on the elections they receive the resolute support of the king and of the chamber, they will resign in a body.

A "TALE-BEARER"

WAS ROUGHLY HANDLED BY HER SCHOOLMATES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BALTIMORE, Nov. 11—In a wild frenzy of revenge, 70 members of the graduating class of the Western High school, have set upon Miss Lily Bengert, their class-mate, whom they accused of being a "tale-bearer."

They scratched her face until the blood ran, pulled her hair out, tore her hat to pieces, kicked her books into the gutter and then tried to tear off her clothing.

Miss Bengert finally broke away and ran, pursued by nearly 200 girls. She finally dashed into a grocery and the clerks barred the doors until the police scattered the crowd.

The rioters were from 16 to 18 years of age and the scene of the trouble was the most fashionable quarter of the city.

MAN FOUND DEAD

Armenians Say He Was Assassinated

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—The friends of Roopan Dyelan, a young Armenian who was found dead in bed yesterday, are still of the opinion that he was murdered and persist in classing his death with the assassinations of Armenians which have been taking place of late in different parts of the old world.

Dyelan was suffocated by the gas which escaped from an open jet in his room, and the coroner's inquest which investigated the affair, declared that he had either committed suicide or had met death accidentally, there being no direct evidence to support either theory.

It is said by people living in the flat building in which Dyelan had taken rooms with an Armenian family, that on Saturday night and Monday night, a strange man was seen in the halls, and that the man had made his way into the good reason for his presence.

It is thought by the friends of Dyelan, that the man has made his way into the room where the young man was asleep, and turned on the gas.

Dyelan had but lately arrived in this country, and was compelled to leave his native land because of his identification with the revolutionary party.

DROPPED DEAD

HUNTER WAS VICTIM OF HEART DISEASE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MILLINOCKET, Maine, Nov. 11.—While suffering with an attack of heart trouble and after firing all but eight of his cartridges to attract attention, William Clark, aged 48 years, dropped dead in the dense woods two miles from his home at Medway. The body was found with the gun close by where he had fallen while making a desperate attempt to reach home. He had sat down or fallen about 15 rods away, and it is supposed he exploded his cartridges before making his last attempt to walk.

CONFLICTING CLAIMS

BOTH CANDIDATES CONFIDENT OF ELECTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 11.—Incomplete returns from 12 of the 19 counties composing the eleventh congressional district, where a special election was held yesterday to elect a successor to the late Vincent Boreing, show a plurality for Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter of a little over 1,000. This is subject to change, however, as only about one-half of the precincts in the district have been heard from.

D. C. Edwards, who like Dr. Hunter, is a republican, claims that Hunter is defeated and that complete returns will show an Edwards majority of 1,500.

John D. White, the prohibition candidate, seems to have carried two counties by small majorities, but his showing is due to the fight between Hunter and Edwards for the republican nomination, which resulted in seven injunctions and counter-injunctions and finally ended by Hunter's name being left off the ballot in some counties and the omission of that of Edwards in others.

The contest is certain to end on the floor of the house of representatives.

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By Associated Press to The Sun

BERKELY, R. I., Nov. 11.—While 12-year-old Benjamin Booth was endeavoring to extract a bullet from his rifle, last night, the weapon was accidentally discharged, the bullet striking Robert Devlin, Jr., four years old, in the breast, and killing the little fellow instantly.

An autopsy is to be held today and this will determine whether an inquest will be held.

The Booth boy was not arrested, his parents assuring the police that the lad would be on hand when wanted.

The fathers of both children are employed as section hands in the weaving department of the Berkely mill.

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MOUNTED TROOPS

Reported in Vicinity of Warmbad

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Nov. 11.—The governor of German Southwest Africa, cables that 330 mounted troops, with four guns, have arrived in the vicinity of Warmbad, but the governor does not mention any fighting with the rebellious natives who, seemingly, are not contesting the advance of the troops.

It is believed that in consequence of the German representations the British and Portuguese police in the adjacent territories will endeavor to prevent further supplies of arms and ammunition being sent over the border.

DR. LUNN ARRIVES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—Among the passengers who arrived today on the steamer Oceanic from Liverpool and Queenstown was Dr. H. S. Lunn, chairman of the new reform club of London. He comes to arrange for a visit of a number of members of parliament to the St. Louis exposition next year.

Other passengers were Lady Herbert, widow of the late British ambassador at Washington, and aunt of the Duchess of Roxburghe, bride in yesterday's ducal wedding and Rev. G. Campbell Morgan of Northfield, Mass.

HAS THE PALLIUM

SPECIAL MESSENGER ARRIVED FROM ROME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—A special messenger from Rome has arrived here with the pallium of Archbishop Quigley of Chicago. It will be given informally into the care of the archbishop this week, but the public investiture will not occur until the first week in December.

About 50 prelates and priests of this province are arranging to attend the investiture. Archbishop Farley will be in the party as well as Bishop Colton of Buffalo. Cardinal Gibbons probably will officiate at the investiture and it is believed that Archbishop Farley will be the celebrant of the solemn pontifical high mass.

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EMPEROR WILLIAM

EXPECTS TO REGAIN HIS HEALTH IN A SHORT TIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Nov. 11—At 11 o'clock this morning, the following bulletin regarding Emperor William's condition was issued at the new palace Potsdam:

"His majesty is better for the walk he took yesterday. The wound made during the operation is in excellent condition and begins to grow smaller."

(Signed),
VON LUTHOLD,
SCHMIDT,
ILBERG.

The emperor in a telegram thanking the municipality of Bremen for the congratulations on his favorable condition, concluded:

"I hope, with a little cure, to be fully restored in a short time."

As today is cloudy and damp, with intervals of rain, the emperor probably will keep indoors. He is disposing of business almost as usual.

REV. FR. GASSON S. J.

THE GUEST OF THE UNITARIAN CLUB.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11.—Rarely has the development of Christian brotherhood among the believers in the different "isms" within the past few years been more pleasantly exemplified than at the meeting of the Unitarian club of Wollaston at the First Unitarian church in that place, last evening, when the Rev. Fr. T. I. Gasson, S. J., professor of ethics at Boston college, was the guest of that organization, and spoke to them of the "Essentials of the Catholic Faith." The presence of a Jesuit father and the fact that he was to tell of the principles of the Roman Catholic church was sufficient to attract a large audience.

It was the occasion of the monthly meeting of the club and was in line with its policy this year of having for its guest some prominent advocate of a religious belief different from that entertained by the Unitarians. Fr. Gasson sat at the right of President Walter M. Hatch at the dinner which preceded his address, and an hour was given up to a delightfully informal meal. The other guests of the club were the Rev. E. C. Butler of Quincy, and David F. Tilley, George E. Regan and Henry L. Hoey of the Boston Young Men's Catholic Association.

WM. J. BRYAN

AND SON WILL SAIL FOR EUROPE TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—William Jennings Bryan will sail for Europe today with his 15-year-old son, William J., Jr., on the steamer Majestic.

Mr. Bryan had expected to sail several weeks ago but was detained by the Philo S. Bennett will case. He is going to Europe for the first time, partly on business and partly for pleasure, and will visit the most of England and a good part of the continent before returning.

YELLOW FEVER BULLETIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAREDO, Texas, Nov. 11.—The official bulletin last night is as follows:

New cases 20; deaths 5. Total cases to date 568; total deaths 77.

Three new cases have been discovered at the Gamel coal mines, making the total number there 11. Two deaths from yellow fever occurred at Minera, Monday, making a total of 10 deaths to date.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

POLITICAL NOTES

No Change in the 27th District Recount

First Session of Registration Yesterday—Brady Supporters of Ward Four Held Meeting—Other News of the Campaign

Ion. Peter J. Brady has opened headquarters at 56 Central street to further his candidacy for the democratic mayoralty nomination. With Col. Carmichael out of the race, Mr. Brady is thus far practically without democratic opposition.

The 27th district recount in Dracut resulted in no change at all. In the recount in Billerica Messrs. O'Brien and McMahon each gained one. The totals now are Westall, 2005; O'Brien, 2002; McMahon, 1999.

Registration for city election opened yesterday and 22 names were put on the list.

A meeting of the Brady supporters of Ward Four was held at the headquarters last evening and a large and enthusiastic gathering turned out. Thos. Green presided and William F. Regan was secretary. Speeches were made by Mr. Brady, William F. Curtin, Joseph H. Gormley, George McKenna, Michael J. Markham, John E. Maguire, Philip J. McNulty and Thomas F. Lonergan.

A meeting of the Ward Seven voters is called for Sunday and one of the Ward Four voters for Monday in the Lyon street school.

Councilman Fairweather of ward 8 is a republican candidate for alderman in that ward.

In and about the office of City Messenger Pattee at City hall yesterday members of the city council and politicians congregated in large numbers while the frame on the indicator in the office was crowded with pictures of candidates of both parties. The "boys" hung around all morning hearing reports of the different campaigns wishing each other luck and in other ways keeping as cheerful as possible. Every new comer to the office brought information regarding some new candidate for office and there will be no dearth of them when the days of the caucuses shall arrive.

Down on the basement floor, Purchasing Agent Rourke daily receives a host of callers who assure him that they are working for his re-nomination and re-election.

"A democratic mayor who is not afraid and a democratic board of aldermen is what we need to bring Lowell back on a sound financial footing," said Edward D. McVey, to a group of business men, yesterday, "and until we get them Lowell is going to be an impoverished, mill-ridden city. That's a fact. The republicans don't dare to fight the big corporations, while the democrats or most of them do, and we have got to fight the big corporations if we want to protect the city of Lowell. The Arkwright club says it is not going to support a municipality for a lot of fools who want to spend money, and accordingly it goes out and gets away from a just tax levy. We have got to have a direct system of taxation of corporations and we will have to elect democrats to start this movement. Look at the taxes they are paying. On Middlesex street, Dr. Marston is compelled to pay considerably over $1 per foot for the land upon which the Marston building stands and right across a six-foot alley on the same side of the street the Hamilton company pays 15 cents per foot for equally as valuable land. On Bridge street Salman Sirk pays a big tax for the land upon which his new block is situated and directly across the street the Massachusetts corporation is paying 16 cents per foot for land equally as valuable.

"Then there is another matter. The present democratic board of aldermen deserves well of the public for getting after the wire companies that have obtained valuable franchises from the city for nothing in the past and now want to own the earth. This year's board of aldermen sat down on them somewhat effectively and should be encouraged. In years gone by your so-called 'conservative business men' sat down and voted away thousands of dollars worth of valuable franchises to these companies without getting even a thank you in return. Elect a mayor and city government that are free from corporate influences and you will soon have a lower tax rate."

And now the French republicans of ward seven are to come to the front with a candidate for alderman from that ward. The French voters of that ward show 450 votes in the republican caucus and believe that they are entitled to something better than a member of the common council. They made two attempts to get a candidate for representative there, but in both instances Wily William Hayes bent them out. Now they are red hot for an aldermanic candidate and with 450 voting together they will just about land their man.

It now looks as if that proposed meeting of the French republicans of ward seven for the purpose of deciding upon which of the French-American candidates for common council to support at the caucus would not materialize. The candidates themselves appear to be the stumbling blocks in the road of the meeting, as some of them are afraid of losing at the meeting and thus putting themselves out of the running before the caucus is held. Meanwhile the three old members, Livingston, of storm guards fame, Fontaine and Billy Hayes are quietly working out their own destinies, devoutly hoping that there will be several dozen French candidates in the field on the night of the caucus.

I met my old friend Ziskind, the junk dealer, a few days ago and he informed me that there will be quite a few new Hebrew voters in Lowell for the city election and he assures me that a majority of them will be democrats.

Now is your chance to get registered for the coming caucuses which are to be held on Nov. 19. The sessions have opened and you should go early and avoid the rush of the last days.

Councilman James W. Barry is a candidate for renomination for the common council in ward one and his friends are making a quiet canvass in his behalf.

NOT UNANIMOUS

French People Differ Over New Church

PROPOSED FOR LOWER CENTRALVILLE DISTRICT

Petition Against Project In Circulation

There appears to be a decided difference of opinion among the French residents of lower Centralville as to the need of a new French Catholic church in that vicinity at the present time.

Some time ago a movement was started for the establishment of a new church in that section and Jacques Boisvert, who owns much land in the heart of the district, donated land for a site for the new church on Ennell street. Then a committee consulted with Archbishop Williams and obtained his sanction.

But now it appears there is opposition to the project on the ground that the size of the French population in that district does not at present warrant the building of a new church, though it is steadily growing and a petition has been put in circulation objecting to the building of the new church at this time.

WRESTLING BOUT

Frank Heidke Matched With Reinecke

BOTH ARE CLEVER MIDDLEWEIGHTS

Bout Will Take Place In This City

Frank Heidke, the local middleweight wrestler of this city and Charlie Reinecke of Worcester, former 145 pound champion were matched at The Sun office last night for gate receipts and side bet of $200.

The men agree to wrestle two falls out of three at catch weights. The first fall to be catch-as-catch-can the second Graeco-Roman and the style of the third to be named by the man winning the quicker of the first two falls.

The bout will probably take place in Huntington hall about Thanksgiving if possible and both men will begin training at once. Reinecke is a brother-in-law and pupil of the famous Harvey Parker and his style is much like Parker's. He wrestles Jim Gilligan at Lawrence next Tuesday night. Heidke has never wrestled in Lowell, but is pronounced by Jimmie Walsh, Dick Casey and other experts to be a good one. Heidke weighs 167 pounds at present but will wrestle at 155. Reinecke will make about that weight. The men will wrestle on a mat in the centre of the floor so that every seat in the hall will be a good one. A preliminary bout will also be arranged.

GOING TO EUROPE.

Miss Annie Brennan, Miss Annie Kierce, Miss Jennie Dolan and Mrs. Mary Brooks sail from Boston tomorrow on the Dominion line steamer "Columbia" for Queenstown, booked through Murphy's ticket agency.

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BRAZEN THIEVES

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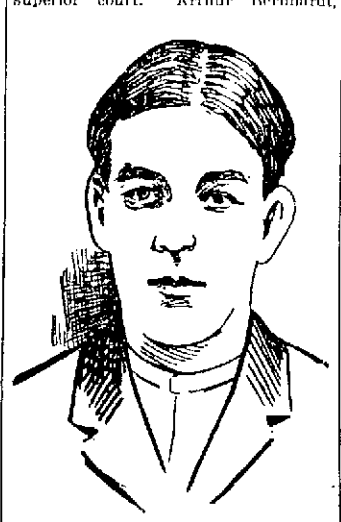
Charging Them With Breaking and Entering and Larceny—Clever Capture of Brass Thieves by the Police—Arthur Bernhardt Will be Brought From the Reformatory

Joseph McCrann, 19, and William McCarthy, 23, charged with the wholesale larceny of brass and copper from factories, dwelling houses, camps and cottages, were arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this forenoon. Both men pleaded guilty. McCrann was ordered in $1000 for his appearance before the court on Friday morning and McCarthy was held in $500 for the superior court. Arthur Bernhardt,



JOSEPH McCRANN.

McCrann's old partner, now serving sentence at the Massachusetts reformatory, will be brought here on a habeas from that institution and with McCrann will answer to eight counts, charging them with breaking and entering and larceny. McCrann will have ten counts in all to make answer to.

The discovery of Bernhardt, McCrann and McCarthy at an early hour yesterday morning was a timely one as friends of both men said they were preparing to leave town.

There is one other young man whom the police would like to lay hands upon in connection with the larcenies in

WILLIAM McCARTHY.

which the trio already mentioned have been interested. The police know who he is and they hope to land him before very long.

One offence that has not gone down on paper in the form of a complaint was the stripping of an engine in the paper mills at Beaver Brook. McCrann has acknowledged that he was interested in the job and the reason that a complaint has not been made out is due to the fact that Dracut refused to make an appropriation to defray the expense of a police force and the Lowell police are balancing sticks to determine how to act in the matter. They will straighten it out before Friday.

In police court today, McCrann and McCarthy pleaded guilty to breaking and entering the storehouse of the Union Paving company and stripping a steam roller of brass valued at $90.

McCrann pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with breaking and entering and larceny in Othinel R. Park's boat house near the boulevard. The articles stolen were two brass pumps valued at $10 each; one hand pump, $2; brass cylinder cover, $1; one piece brass casting, $2; two valves, $2; and two oil cups, 50c.

McCrann also pleaded guilty to the larceny of the following named articles from Speed & Stevenson:

Two cut rollers, $2.40; two sets circles, $320; nine brass boxes, $9; one roll, $1; 72 brass boxes, $72; 72 boxes, $43; 36 brass

ARTHUR BERNHARDT.

rollers, $10.80; one funnel, 75 cents; four skeleton plates, $3; 265 rollers, with thumb screws, $13.40; 264 rollers, $18.66; 263 back rollers, $15.30; 268 back rollers, $18.66; 87 brass rollers, $13.05 and miscellaneous articles valued at $75, making a total of $614.12.

Another complaint to which McCrann pleaded guilty charged him with the larceny of $13 worth of brass from Holt & Sherwood's glue factory in Tanner street.

PIMPLES
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BY 33 POINTS

BOSTON & MAINE WON FROM TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

The bowling team of the Boston & Maine railroad defeated the team representing the New England Telephone & Telegraph company by 33 pins at Les Miserables alleys last night.

Edgell of the winning team was high man, with a three string total of 248, but Webb of the Telephone team was but one pin shy on this total. A single string total of 95 made by Webb was the best made during the evening.

The railroaders started off at a furious gate and at the end of the first string they were 43 pins to the good, but the hello boys got a center on during the second string and won it by 14 pins, bringing down their opponent's advantage somewhat, but they fell by the wayside on the third string and lost it by five pins, also the game. The score:

B. & M. R.—McDonald, 241; Shay, 232; Richardson, 227; Carr, 239; Edgell, 248; total, 1187.

N. E. T. & T. Co.—Barden 239; McLaughlin, 223; Gray, 220; Webb, 247; Buckley, 220; total 1154.

SUPREME COURT

REPORTED TO HAVE DECIDED AGAINST LICENSE BOARD.

A rumor to the effect that the supreme court had decided against Messrs. Bradley, Coughlin and Patch in the Lawrence license commissioners' case was circulated quite widely about Lawrence last night.

When asked last night by a reporter if the rumor was a fact, Mayor Grant replied: "I haven't heard anything of the kind."

Commissioner William J. Bradley said: "No, I cannot give you any information whatever on the subject."

FUNERALS

SARGENT—The funeral services for the late Luther H. Sargent of North Chelmsford took place yesterday afternoon from the family home in Main street, and were attended by many residents of the village and friends from other places. Rev. Robert W. Dunbar, pastor of the Second Congregational church, conducted the services, which were of a simple character as befitted the modest, unpretending nature of the departed. In his brief remarks Rev. Mr. Dunbar without fulsome eulogy spoke fittingly of the refined and spiritual nature of Mr. Sargent and his sterling qualities of character. Miss Emma Hathaway's sympathetic voice was heard in two selections, "Abide With Me" and "Some Sweet Day." The floral offerings were numerous. Burial was in Riverside cemetery, in charge of J. B. Currier, as funeral director, and the bearers were O. P. Wheeler, W. T. Lakin, F. G. Foote and Edward H. Silver.

GREGG—The funeral of the late Charles Gregg took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 260 Lakeview avenue, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church in Sixth street, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Fr. Mullen. The choir under the direction of Mr. Thomas P. Boulger sang the Gregorian mass. During the service appropriate selections were rendered by different members of the choir.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends and acquaintances. The following were the most prominent: Pillow from the parents of the deceased inscribed "Our Son;" wreath on base inscribed "Charlie," from the Misses Smith, aunts of the deceased; cross on base inscribed "Cousin," Miss Maggie Hogan; spray chrysanthemums from Mrs. Frank Moran; spray of roses, Misses Cregg; spray of white roses, Mr. Patrick Smith and family; spray of chrysanthemums, Mrs. Conroy and family; spray of pinks and chrysanthemums, Mrs. Mary Stanley; spray of chrysanthemums, the Misses Riley; spray of chrysanthemums, Scanlon family; wreath and star, John T. Donohue; wreath, Fred H. Maguire; spray of pinks, H. F. Quinn and family.

The bearers were Messrs. John Dawney, Frederick Devaney, James Kennedy, Frederick Maguire, Frank Boyle and Matthew Cox. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the last sad rites of the Catholic church were solemnized by Rev. Fr. Mullen. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

CARNEY—The funeral of George L. Carney, child of John and Mary, took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of his parents, 22 Daly street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, and was under the direction of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

MOYNIHAN—The funeral of Daniel Moynihan, child of Daniel and Ellen, took place Sunday morning at 10 o'clock from the home of his parents, 402 Concord street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

DEATHS

HEAPS—Irene Heaps, aged 10 months, child of Thomas and Annie, died last night at the home of her parents, 10 Webster avenue.

CARNEY—George L. Carney, aged 3 months, child of John and Mary, died last night at the home of his parents, 22 Daly street.

LEFT TO STARVE

NEGRO WAS STRUNG UP TO A TREE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

AURORA, Mo., Nov. 11.—Frank Smith, a negro, stabbed an Austrian in the back at the tunnel on the new White river railroad, south of here Saturday. He was captured by a gang of Austrians, who tied him to a tree in the mountains, leaving him there with the intention of having him starve to death. A party of hunters from Aurora found him yesterday and released him. He was in a critical condition and unable to walk. A report from Galena, last night, is to the effect that Smith is dying and that a gang of negroes from a railroad camp 10 miles north of the tunnel is on the way to the tunnel, bent on revenge.

IRON-OX Tablets
For the Bowels.
Not purgative nor cathartic, but gently laxative and tonic. For sale by druggists, 25 cents.

A Large Bottle of the Best Hair Tonic at the Lowest Price, That's
HAIRINE
MAKES THE HAIR GROW.
It is a clear hair tonic, possesses an exquisite, delicate perfume, and guaranteed to cure diseased scalps and dandruff, stop falling hair, and sells for only
15 Cts.
If you are troubled with dandruff, try one bottle. It will do the work.
Owing to the cost of Hairine and the extremely low price, we cannot fill mail orders unless 5 cents extra is enclosed with the price.
At druggists, 15, 40 and 75 cents a bottle.
ELLINGWOOD & CO., Druggists, Lowell
Beal Streit Co., 79-81 Cortlandt St., N.Y.

INSANE WOMAN

Shot and Killed Her Husband

By Associated Press to The Sun

DOVER, Del., Nov. 11.—Mrs. Edith Jackson Hollis, a member of an influential Camden, Delaware, family, murdered her husband, Delaware T. Hollis, by shooting him through the head while he was asleep early today. Hollis was sitting in a chair when his wife placed the revolver to his head and blew out his brains. Last night, the husband consented to his wife being sent to the insane asylum at Farnhurst, Del., for treatment, and the wife believed from that moment that her husband had turned against her.

Mrs. Hollis' friends made strenuous efforts to prevent her being committed to the Dover jail, but the judges were firm in their conviction that she should be treated as any other defendant in a capital case until a jury passed upon her sanity.

Mrs. Hollis is the owner of several farms. Her husband, who was a merchant and promoter, was a brother of Magistrate George A. Hollis of Wilmington.

RISKED HIS LIFE

Motorman Saved Woman and Children

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—Joseph Johnson, motorman of a Brooklyn trolley car, has probably sacrificed his life to save an unknown woman and two children from death under the feet of a runaway horse. He is now in a hospital with a fractured skull and one leg broken. The doctors say he cannot possibly recover.

On its way to the Broadway ferries Johnson's car had stopped to take on a woman and two little children. They were crossing from the sidewalk to the rear steps of the car when Johnson, looking ahead, saw a horse running wildly toward the helpless woman. As it came near he leaped out and seized the bridle, throwing the horse to the sidewalk. The motorman was dashed against a tree and fell unconscious. The woman and children who had stood transfixed with fear directly in the animal's course, were not injured.

JIMMY BRITT

GOT THE DECISION OVER CHARLIE SIEGER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11.—Jimmy Britt, the California lightweight easily secured the decision last night over Charlie Sieger of New York. In all but the fourteenth round Britt had a clear lead. He outpointed, outboxed and outgeneraled Sieger at every stage of the fight.

APPETITE'S GONE
Food eaten without appetite always causes gastric disturbances, because unless the glands of the stomach are stimulated by a desire for food no digestive juices are formed. Consequently the food is wasted and clogs up the bowels. For Loss of Appetite and Constipation there is nothing to equal the Bitters. Try a dose before meals. It also cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Insomnia and Malaria, Fever and Ague.
HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

Curse OF DRINK
CURED TO STAY CURED BY
WHITE RIBBON REMEDY
Any woman can cure her husband, son or brother, or any one of liquor drinking, by secretly placing White Ribbon remedy in his coffee, tea or food without his knowledge. It is entirely odorless and tasteless. Any good and faithful woman can wipe out this fearful drink evil and permanently stop the craving for liquor. By degrees the patient gets a distaste for intoxicants and finally leaves off altogether. It is wonderful. Many a hard drinker has thus been reclaimed and restored to his family and friends. White Ribbon remedy is easily given by following the simple directions.
The only drink cure endorsed and sold by members of a Woman's Christian Temperance union.
Sold in every drug store, 50c and $1. Trial package free by writing or calling on MRS. A. M. TOWNSEND (for years secretary of a W. C. T. U.) 218 Tremont street, Boston, Mass. Special agents in Lowell, Mass., Ellingwood & Co., corner Merrimack and Central streets.

TWO FRAUDS.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickstor, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

Kennedy's Oysterettes
The Oyster Cracker with a taste to it.

OIL HEATERS,
GAS RADIATORS,
Air Tight Wood Stoves
W. T. S. BARTLETT
653-659 Merrimack St.

The Good Old Summer
time is almost in and we must turn our attention to the Fall and Winter Clothing, and the
BAY STATE DYE WORKS,
is the place to bring ladies or gents' Clothing, where the work of dyeing or cleaning or pressing is done at the lowest prices consistent with first-class work. The more time we have the better job we can do, so get your goods in now before the rush. Remember the place,
BAY STATE DYE WORKS
54 Prescott Street.

A MEETING OF TWO LADIES
"Why, how do you do, Miss Dobs! I am awfully glad to see you, dear. Are you well? I am glad of that. O, say, is that the dress you were telling me about the last time I saw you?"
"Yes, how do you like it?"
"O, it's just too nice for anything. It fits awfully good. Who made it for you?"
"Why, don't you know Herman Snyder, the famous New York ladies' tailor, is here now and makes all my clothes. His place is
90 CHELMSFORD STREET

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUSES

The Democrats of Lowell are hereby requested to meet in their respective ward rooms in caucus on Thursday, Nov. 19, 1903, for the purpose of nominating by direct vote one (1) candidate for mayor, one (1) candidate for chief of the department of supplies and nine (9) aldermen as provided by Chapter 537, Acts of 1902, and also to nominate in each ward three (3) candidates for the common council, to nominate candidates for the school committee in Wards 1, 2, 4, 7 and 9, to nominate candidates for overseer of the poor in Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7.

The caucuses shall be called and held under the provisions of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts and the Acts in amendment thereto. The Australian ballot shall be used at all caucuses.

The caucuses shall be held at the place and the hour named below:

Ward One—Jackson hall, Ward room, at 7 p. m.

Ward Two—Basement Green school at 4 p. m.

Ward Three—Ward room, Engine house, Branch street, at 7 p. m.

Ward Four—Basement Lyon Street school at 4 p. m.

Ward Five—Keyes' Auction room, Green street, at 4 p. m.

Ward Six—Vacant store, No. 446 Bridge street, at 7 p. m.

Ward Seven—Ward room, Engine house, Fletcher street, at 7 p. m.

Ward Eight—Basement Lincoln Street school at 7 p. m.

Ward Nine—Ward room, Engine house, High street, at 4 p. m.

All candidates are requested to file their names at Democratic headquarters, McCarthy's building, Palmer street, rooms No. 1 and 2, on or before Monday, Nov. 16th, 1903, at 9 o'clock p. m., with Patrick J. O'Brien, treasurer Democratic City Committee, or Joseph H. Callahan clerk.

Each candidate for mayor shall deposit with his name the sum of $150, the sum of $125 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for the chief of department of supplies shall deposit with his name the sum of $150, the sum of $125 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for alderman shall deposit with his name the sum of $50, the sum of $40 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for the common council in wards 1, 2, 4, 5 and 9, shall deposit with his name the sum of $10, the sum of $5 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for overseer of the poor shall deposit with his name the sum of $25, the sum of $20 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for school committee shall deposit with his name the sum of $25, the sum of $20 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

The caucuses shall be called to order and be presided over by the chairman of the ward committee of each ward, who shall preside until a permanent chairman is chosen.

(Signed)
DEMOCRATIC CITY COMMITTEE,
THOMAS F. QUINN, Chairman.
JAMES H. GRAY, Secretary.

DO NOT PAY
$7.25 per ton for Coal when you can buy the best coal mined for
$6.75
Per Ton
LOWELL COAL COMPANY
43 Central St. - 15 Thorndike St.

CUT IN WAGES

10 Per Cent. Cut Down in Fall River

25,000 Mill Operatives are Affected—Market for Print Cloths Has Been Stagnant—It is Reported That Other Mills Will Follow Fall River's Action

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Nov. 11.—The unsettled state of the cotton goods trade, due largely to the phenomenally high price of raw material and to a pronounced hesitation on the part of purchasers, compelled the manufacturers of Fall River this afternoon to order a general reduction in the wages of their employes. The cut down will affect nearly 30,000 operatives in this city and it is stated unofficially that the action of the local manufacturers will probably be followed by mill owners in southern, central and western Massachusetts, Rhode Island, east Connecticut and possibly the western part of this state, employing a total of about 50,000 men. If all these manufacturers follow the lead of this city, as is anticipated by many, from 75,000 to 80,000 textile operatives will be obliged to submit to a cutdown. The reduction in this city is to go into effect on Monday, November 23, and amounts to ten per cent.

Whether the radical move made by the mill treasurers will be resisted by the operatives cannot be stated at this time. The action was not wholly unexpected by the leaders of the textile unions and by the operatives in general. As soon as news of the cut was announced, hurried notifications were sent to the union officials, some of whom were in Boston attending the convention of the American Federation of Labor and arrangements were perfected to call a conference of the textile workers as soon as possible to consider the outlook. The unions have recognized for months that cotton situation was threatening and in fact going from bad to worse. During summer and early fall the curtailment of production so general throughout New England was felt more by the employes in Fall River than in any other centre, and today news was more unwelcome than usual on this account, especially as the winter season is at hand and many have been unable to maintain a bank account. Although it will be some time before the unions can vote on the issue, it is thought that no general strike will be ordered here at this time, for the reason that many of the manufacturers are short of cotton and have large stocks of goods on hand, which would make a strike of little consequence to them. Some of the treasurers had also been considering a further curtailment and it is possible that some of the mills will have to stop their machinery, regardless of the lowering of the cost of production which would follow cut in the pay-roll.

The mills of Fall River, New Bedford, Rhode Island and those at numerous points in central and western Massachusetts, together with mills in eastern Connecticut, made a general advance in wages early in 1902. Their action was not met, however, by the cotton mills of northern New England and it is not considered probable that the impending attack on the pay-roll in southern New England will have any direct effect in the industry further north. It was this extra advance in wages that led to the great strike in Lowell last spring. The Lowell operatives demanded the Fall River schedule, but the manufacturers there declined to accede to the request.

In this city, about 80 mills, employing slightly over 25,000 men and owned by forty corporations, are represented in the notices posted on the mill gates. The Fall River Iron Works company, operating four large mills and which are owned by M. C. D. Borden of New York, are not in the Fall River Manufacturers' association, and what action Mr. Borden will take in the situation is not known here.

Most of the local mills make print cloths and other coarse goods, although a few of them are engaged in the manufacture of fine goods. The market for regulars has been stagnant for many weeks, with the demand mainly of a hand to mouth character. The high price of cotton has prohibited mill men from carrying much raw material and purchases of late have not been heavy.

The mills in other sections of southern New England follow the Fall River schedule as closely as possible and it is understood that similar action will be taken. The mills at New Bedford employ about 10,000 hands, those in Rhode Island, and eastern Connecticut about 25,000 and those elsewhere which raised wages when the manufacturers here did in 1902 employ from 10,000 to 15,000.

It was learned this afternoon that the reduction was decided at a conference of Fall River men in Boston Nov. 2. The whole affair was in the hands of the executive committee of the Fall River Manufacturers' association and the labor secretaries of that body. No general meeting of the association was called.

M. C. D. Borden, not being a member of the association, was not consulted. It is known here that the wage question had been under consideration for some time, but nevertheless today's notice was a surprise to the operatives. The notice given is shorter than usually given, but this, it is stated, is due to the exigencies of the situation.

NO CUT HERE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Nov. 11—Manufacturers in Pawtucket and the Blackstone valley when informed this afternoon of the announcement that there had been notices posted in the Fall River mills of a 10 per cent. cut down stated that the cut down would not have any effect in this city right away, as the local mills manufacture a different class of goods than in Fall River and the local wage scale base is taken from the New Bedford scale. Until a move is made at New Bedford to cut down the wages there will be no change in this city.

PRES. GOMPERS

SAYS THE CUT DOWN IS UNJUST.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11—The news of the cut down in Fall River cotton mills was made known to President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor in this city today through an Associated Press dispatch.

Mr. Gompers said that it was too soon for him to enter into a discussion of the situation. He said that all he cared to say at present was that "it was unjust and unwise at this time to make this reduction."

Mr. Gompers said that the matter probably would be discussed during the session of the American Federation of Labor which is being held in this city during this week.

James Tansey, president; Albert Hibbert, secretary; and Thomas O'Donnell, delegate, of the Textile Workers of America, who are here from Fall River attending the convention of the American Federation of Labor, were informed of the notices of a cut-down at Fall River by the Associated Press bulletin to that effect, and all expressed great surprise at the news, and President Tansey, speaking for his associates, said that he was not prepared to give details of the situation, because he could not be fully conversant with them until he had received advices from the union at Fall River. From his present knowledge, however, he did not see how a cut-down would prove a remedy for existing conditions. Moreover, he did not know why the cut-down was necessary. The mills, he said, were running, the product was being sold, and business apparently was good. He could not say at this time whether the operatives would resist reduction.

REDUCTION IN PROVIDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—While nothing positive of any prospective reduction in wages was known at the local office of the corporations, it is thought very likely that most of the mills owned by others beside the Manville company, will follow the lead made by the Fall River mill companies. The Manville company, however, is not expected to make any material cut in wages. Narly all the mills in this section have been running at a loss for sometime and it is certain that radical changes will have to be made in the near future.

IN WOONSOCKET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Nov. 11.—Nothing is known in the cotton mill offices here of any prospective cut in wages. The principal officials whose offices are in Providence, could not be located this afternoon.

REDUCTION IN TAUNTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TAUNTON, Mass., Nov. 11.—Following the action of Fall River manufacturers, the management of the Corr Manufacturing company posted notices in the cotton mill here this afternoon announcing that a reduction of ten per cent. in wages would go into effect Nov. 23.

LOWELL MILLS

WILL NOT CUT DOWN WAGES OF OPERATIVES.

Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills was out of town today but other mill officials seen by the Sun reporter said there would be no reduction of wages in Lowell.

KILLED BY TRAIN

JEREMIAH SARGENT WAS CROSSING THE TRACKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

READING, Mass., Nov. 11—While crossing the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, near the local station today, Jeremiah G. Sargent, about 70 years old, and a well known sportsman, was struck by a train and killed. He leaves no family.

MAYOR MILLER DECLINES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—Mayor Miller today sent a formal letter to Governor Garvin declining the appointment to the police commission made by the former last Friday.

FOR WOMAN'S EYE

The Sanative, Antiseptic, Cleansing, Purifying, Beautifying, Properties of

CUTICURA SOAP

Assisted by Cuticura Ointment is of priceless value to women, especially mothers.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

NEW DAY NURSERY

To be Established Under K. of C. Auspices

As a result of a meeting held Sunday afternoon in Knights of Columbus hall, a number of the members have decided to make an effort to start a day nursery which can be used as a temporary home for destitute children or until such times as a permanent home can be found.

The members have come to the conclusion that there is room for a great deal of charitable work in this respect. They believe that if the right kind of a matron can be found to take charge of the home a great deal of good can be accomplished in the interest of destitute children and wayward girls who sometimes find themselves led from the paths of rectitude by evil associations.

The project has not yet assumed a definite form, but certain it is, that the gentlemen who have it in hand are sufficiently interested in the work to have some such establishment opened in the near future.

One of the plans suggested for its support is to get a number of citizens to subscribe $5 a year or more to meet the running expenses.

The administration will be more easily adjusted. The projectors feel that the work has been too long neglected and it is incumbent on them to do something of the kind in order to meet the long felt want.

PRETTY WEDDING

HART-McDERMOTT NUPTIALS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Mr. Eugene F. Hart, of Meriden, and Miss Margaret McDermott, daughter of Mr. Bernard McDermott, of Pleasant street, a popular young lady of this city, were united in marriage this afternoon at five o'clock at the parochial residence of the Immaculate Conception church, Rev. Eugene A. Dorgan, O. M. I., officiating.

Mr. Hart is better known as "Bob" and played second rush on the Lowell polo team during the last two years. He also played base ball with the Lawrence team during the last two seasons. "Bob" is well known in both this city and Lawrence and has a large following of friends.

Thomas Gilroy of Taunton, the well-known base ball player, acted as best man and Miss Etta McDermott was bridesmaid. The bride was attired in a blue travelling dress and wore a beautiful picture hat, while the bridesmaid wore a steel colored dress and a black picture hat.

Immediately after the marriage a reception was held at the home of the bride's father, 158 Pleasant street, which was largely attended by relatives and friends of the contracting parties, including a number of people from out of town.

The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful and appropriate presents. Mr. and Mrs. Hart will leave on the 9.25 train for Boston tonight and will then go to Muncie, Ind., where Mr. Hart will play second rush with the polo team of that city. The happy couple have the best wishes of their many friends, both in this city and out of town.

THREE WOMEN

WERE REGISTERED AT WEDNESDAY'S SESSION.

Eight men and three women were the total at this afternoon's session of registration. As yet the names are going on slowly but a rush is expected next week, caucus week.

LOWELL WOMAN

FELL INTO HANDS OF LAWRENCE POLICE.

Mary A. Rourke of Lowell swore that she never had been arrested before, despite the fact that Probation Officer Vose had received her record from Lowell, which showed that she had appeared before Judge Hadley twice. She promised to go straight home if allowed her freedom and it was granted.—Lawrence Sun.

HELD REGULAR MEETING.

Ruth Consistory, No. 4, I. H. D.'s of M., held its regular meeting last evening. The white degree was worked with one candidate. The report of the business, etc., of the recent convocation of the supreme body of the I. H. D.'s of M. was read by the consistory's representative, W. P. N. D., Elivira E. Gladwin. It was voted to go to Mrs. James Cornell's, No. Chelmsford, on Tuesday afternoon the 17th, for a supper and social time, all Dames to contribute some article of food towards supplying the table.

WILL INVESTIGATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KINGSTON, N. Y., Nov. 11—The Ulster county board of supervisors, in annual session here, has appointed a committee to investigate the accounts of Superintendent of the Poor Abram Sammons, who is charged by the state charities association with mismanagement of funds and cruelty to inmates.

MANY CLERGYMEN PRESENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—Clergymen of all denominations were present at the second inter-denominational conference on the Gospel of John which was held at the Mathewson Street M. E. church, with the pastor, Rev. Charles M. Meldon, D. D., presiding. The day was taken up with addresses and discussions on the second, third and fourth chapters of the book, sessions being held in the morning and afternoon.

The speakers at the morning meeting were Rev. President Augustus H. Strong, D. D., LL. D., of the Rochester Theological seminary, Rochester, N. Y., on "The Miracle at Cana and a Philosophical Discussion of Miracles;" Rev. Frank J. Goodwin, of the Pawtucket Congregational church of Pawtucket, R. I., who took for his topic, "The Field White for the Harvest"; and Rev. Dr. Edward Abbott, rector of St. James' Episcopal church, Cambridge, Mass., whose address was on "Jesus and Nicodemus—The New Birth."

Rev. Albert H. Plumb, D.D., of the Walnut Avenue Baptist church of Roxbury, Mass., opened the afternoon session with a discussion of "Eternal Life Through Belief," followed by Rev. Henry M. King, D.D., of the First Baptist church, Providence, on "The Gospel of John in the Spiritual Life of the Churches."

The afternoon session was concluded by Dr. Willis P. Odell, D.D., of the Calvary Methodist church of New York city, who spoke on the topic "The Source or Conditions of Jesus' Strength."

This evening the subject "Some Characteristics of the Gospel according to St. John" will be treated by Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D.D., pastor of the First Congregational church, Cambridge, Mass.

THE MATHEWS

WILL ATTEND MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR DECEASED MEMBERS.

At the meeting of the Mathew Temperance institute last evening a large amount of business was transacted, the session being an unusually lengthy one, in which many discussions on various subjects took place.

Vice President George Hunt presided and seven propositions for membership were read and six new members were admitted.

The final decision of the body as to what nature the anniversary celebration will assume was deferred until next week.

A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church on Thanksgiving morning for the repose of the souls of all the deceased members of the institute. President Humphrey F. Sullivan, Rev. Fr. Mullin, spiritual director and Secretary John V. Donoghue constitute the committee in charge of the arrangements for the mass. It is planned to have the members assemble at the rooms and thence march to the church where seats will be reserved for them. The musical portion of the mass will be in keeping with the solemnity of the occasion and will comprise beautiful requiem compositions.

The membership contest is now well under way, the contest having been formally opened last evening to close on the first Tuesday evening in February, 1904. Three teams have so far entered the contest and each comprises five men, with the following members as captains: Messrs. Walter E. Flaherty, John E. Sullivan and Henry Barrington.

All the members of the teams represent that hustling section of the society membership, which has done so much good and worked so assiduously in elevating the Mathews, namely, the young members. Prizes aggregating $25 have been offered for the team bringing in the largest number of members in the stipulated time. With the membership of the society at present at the 700 mark it is safe to assume that the benefits which will accrue to the organization by way of a larger membership will put the Mathews near the 1000 mark. Every effort of the teams will be bent in this direction and by the opening of the new year the Mathews will have won the place of New England's representative Catholic temperance society.

On Thursday evening "ladies' night" will be observed by the society in the rooms, the quarters being thrown open for the entertainment of the lady friends of the society. An orchestra for dancing will be in attendance, while pool, billiards, ping-pong, whist and other games will be open to the ladies. Mr. John M. Coughlin is chairman of the committee in charge.

At the 16th anniversary of the organization of the Fr. Mathew T. A. society of Billerica on Saturday evening, President Humphrey F. Sullivan will represent the local society. Ex-President Edward F. Slattery will no doubt also attend, as he assisted many years ago in organizing that progressive society and has always been deeply interested in its welfare.

Henry Hamer of Bachman street has accepted the position of overseer over the whole of the filling, spinning department at the Bigelow Carpet company's mills.

BRIEF SESSION

Senator Hoar on Smoot Petitions

HE SAYS THEY ARE OUT OF ORDER

Two Members of House Sworn In

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The senate began business in earnest today by receiving for the first time in the session, a number of petitions and also many bills. Some of the petitions protested against Senator Smoot of Utah, remaining in the senate.

Mr. Gallinger, (N. H.) was the first of the senators to secure recognition for the introduction of bills and the first bill introduced by him provided for the erection of a statue to General John Stark.

In presenting a numerously signed petition asking the senate to expedite the consideration of the charges against Mr. Smoot, Mr. Hoar took occasion to remind the senators of petitions bearing upon Mr. Smoot's case that the proceeding is out of order and improper. He based his remarks upon the fact that the determination of Mr. Smoot's rights will be a purely judicial proceeding, to be determined by the laws and the constitution of the United States.

"With all due respect to the signers of petitions of this character," he said, "I want to say to them that their petitions are as much out of place when addressed to this high court as similar petitions would be if addressed to the Supreme court of the United States in any case pending before that tribunal."

When the introduction of bills, resolutions, etc., had been concluded, the chair laid before the senate the house joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for mileage of senators and members and upon motion of Mr. Hale is was adopted.

The senate then, at 12.10 went into executive session.

At 1.45 the senate adjourned.

IN THE HOUSE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The house convened at 12 o'clock today. Messrs. C. C. Reid and Minor Wallace of Arkansas and T. B. Kyle of Ohio were sworn in as members of the house.

The house at 12.05 adjourned.

SENATOR CULLOM

WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT ISTHMIAN AFFAIRS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—Senator Cullom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, today presented the following concurrent resolution:

"That the president be requested to communicate to the senate, if not in his judgment incompatible with the public interests, all correspondence and other official documents referring to the recent events on the Isthmus of Panama."

On Senator Cullom's motion the resolution was referred to the committee on foreign relations.

ATTACK BY DEMOCRATS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The democratic steering committee was in session before the senate met today, and again considered the Panama situation. No conclusion was reached, but the indications are that the democrats will attack the course of the administration on the isthmus with reference to the establishment of the new republic of Panama.

SMUGGLING CASES

BROUGHT TO LIGHT IN BOSTON CUSTOM HOUSES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11.—An official of the custom house announced this afternoon that no less than 60 distinct cases of smuggling had been unearthed in this district during the past wek or ten days. The goods illegally imported represented many thousands of dollars. The developments have been such that the officers at work investigating expect to make arrests within a few days.

LIQUOR DEALERS

PROPOSE TO RAISE A BIG DEFENSE FUND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—In fear of further drastic legislation, following that of last winter when the license fees in this state were advanced greatly, the central organization of the New York Wine, Liquor & Beer dealers association, has adopted resolutions approving the defense fund plan formulated at the recent liquor dealers' national convention and has fixed New York state's contribution at $750,000. It was announced that this money is to be raised by a tax label to be put on every package of liquor or barrel of beer, but some of the dealers said the label may not be used. They stated that the money can be raised by regular assessment upon the saloon-keeper.

In Manhattan alone there are 6,000 members of the association in good standing. If every state represented in the national association takes similar action the defense fund of the liquor dealers at this rate will approximate $5,000,000.

"Our organization," said one of the officers, "is not a political body in any sense. It is a business men's organization, formed for strictly business purposes, but when a political party attacks our interests we can play politics and henceforward we propose to do it. The saloon-keepers are not alone in this business. Wholesale dealers, brewers, those who supply mineral waters and everybody associated with the business is in the plan."

DR. SWAN DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

STOUGHTON, Mass., Nov. 11—Dr. W. E. S. Swan, one of the widest known physicians in southeast Massachusetts, died today of heart failure after an illness of several months. He was 65 years old. A son survives.

O'CONNELL CASE

DISMISSED IN UNITED STATES COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11.—The action of Bernard D. O'Connell, a lawyer formerly of Lowell, but now of New York city, to recover $100,000 damages from Chief Justice Mason and Justice Richardson of the superior court of this commonwealth, and Judge Braley of the supreme court, upon an alleged conspiracy to injure him in his profession, was dismissed today by Judge Putnam in the United States circuit court.

SUSPECT ARRESTED

IN CONNECTION WITH THE MERRIMAC ROBBERY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Mass., Nov. 11—George Flynn, of Haverhill, suspected of connection with the Merrimac post office robbery, was arrested here today.

The description given by Chief Nixon of Merrimac of the man who handcuffed him, directed suspicion toward Flynn.

LOW PRICES NOT WARRANTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—At the annual convention of the Machine Tool Builders, which is in session here, resolutions have been adopted declaring that there is nothing in the existing steel trade to warrant a reduction in prices of machine tools.

Of the 45 or 50 members, about 30 were present. President Joseph Flather of Nashua was in the chair. Other officers present were William Lodge of Cincinnati, and J. P. Davis of Rochester, N. Y., and P. E. Montaus of Springfield, Ohio, secretary.

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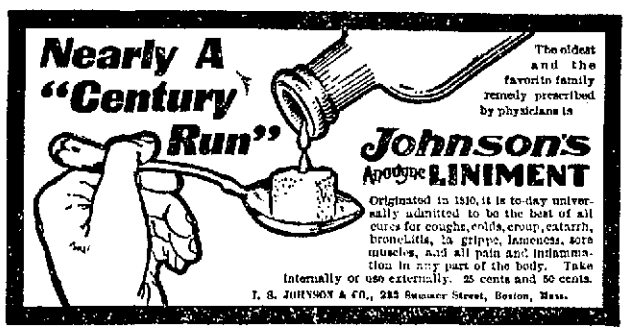

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STRENGTH OF ARMY

Total Number of Organized Militia is 116,542

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The annual report of the acting adjutant general Hall, of the army, was made public today.

The actual strength of the army on October 15, 1903, was 3,381 officers and 55,500 enlisted men. There were lost to the army during the year ended June 30, 1903, 29,279 men, as follows:

138 officers, of whom 25 were killed in action and died of wounds or disease; 28,141 enlisted men of whom 837 were killed in action or died of wounds or disease, the remainder representing men discharged for expiration of term of service, for disability, by sentence of court martial, desertions and retirements.

Over one half of the report is devoted to the militia and it gives a detailed account of the working of the act to promote the efficiency of the militia, passed at the last session of congress.

Inspections of the several militia organizations, the report says, were begun on April 25, 1903, and completed about the first of July. The total number of the organized militia, including officers of every rank and grade, was ascertained to be 116,542.

Regarding the dependable strength of the militia in time of national peril, the adjutant general states that "although the obligation of officers and men of the militia to respond promptly to a sudden call of the president has been on the statute books more than a hundred years, and of the organized militia or national guard for nearly 40, and the neglect to so respond is punishable by such penalties as a court-martial may direct, experience has shown that this obligation is a theory rather than a fact. Without going farther back than the late war with Spain, the proportion of membership of militia organizations who have actually responded to such calls of the president has borne a very small proportion to those actually borne on the company rolls."

Eliminating the men unfit for military service and those unable to go to the front for logical reasons, the report says that only about 30 of the original company is a fair estimate of the number of men in each company that were finally received into the service of the United States.

Continuing, the adjutant general states that there is an explicable opposition on the part of the employers of permitting their employes who are members of the national guard to leave their work to participate in drills, encampments and target practice, as well as in responding to calls for service from the state for the suppression of disturbances.

The adjutant general adds: "In some cities of Virginia, Georgia and Louisiana, the newspapers have prejudiced the minds of the militiamen by their distorted views. The fear is expressed in some southern communities that under the president's order, while national guardsmen might be compelled to serve under a colored commander and still others believe that they are state troops and should not be ordered for duty outside the state."

As the intent of the law becomes better understood, with perhaps some further legislation, the belief is expressed that most of this opposition will vanish."

It is recommended that provision be made in the appropriation bill for the hire and forage of horses and fuel for militia while engaged in manoeuvres. In order to increase the attendance at the drills and thus to secure increased efficiency of the organized militia, that governors be permitted to utilize the allotment of their respective states under Section 1661, Revised Statutes, for the purpose of furnishing a per diem allowance, not in any case to exceed 43 cents per drill of one and one-half hours for the purpose of paying enlisted men of the organized militia for attendance at each of the 24 drills annually required by statute.

That, as a precedent to participation in manoeuvres, the states and territories require a sufficient physical examination for entrance into their organized militia.

That states be permitted to retain rifles and carbines now in use by military schools and colleges instead of throwing them in on receipts of new arms.

That for the purpose of preserving order in camps no troops of the organized militia shall participate in manoeuvres unless the laws of the state to which the troops belong sufficiently provide for the punishment of disorder.

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CUBAN RECIPROCITY

THERE WILL BE LITTLE OPPOSITION TO IT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Speaker Cannon was assured today by one of the most prominent leaders of the opposition to Cuban reciprocity in the last congress that there would be little or no opposition republicans to the bill carrying into effect the Cuban reciprocity treaty. He told the speaker that the attempt to form an opposition had failed and that the republicans would not join the democrats in voting the Morris differential amendment in the bill. The speaker was assured that the sentiment among republicans was to stand by the speaker; that it would be impolitic to have a division of the party at the beginning of the session.

LIGHTED CIGAR

CAUSED A $20,000 FIRE IN PAWTUCKET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Nov. 11—A fire apparently caused by throwing a lighted cigar into a box of sawdust did $20,000 damage to the A. Cohen block in this city today.

The principal losers are A. F. & F. Bray, hardware dealers, and A. Chone, owner of the block, and who also conducted a shoe store.

During the fire a large plate glass window of Deahy's dry goods store was smashed in by the bursting of a hydrant.

All the losses are well covered by insurance.

TERRIBLE UPROAR

STARS AND STRIPES GREETED WITH GROANS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 11—The introduction of the stars and stripes at the close of a play at the Academy of Music last night caused a terrible uproar. Cat calls and groans filled the house and lasted until long after the statue of Britannia was shown. After that the whole audience arose and sang "God Save the King."

REARDON ARRESTED

HE IS CHARGED WITH BREAKING AND ENTERING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 11- After James S. Reardon, a dry goods dealer on Massachusetts avenue, had been arrested today on the charge of breaking and entering a drug store next door to his place of business and stealing cigars, liquors and candy, the police claim that Reardon confessed to having committed three breaks into same store within the last six months. A large amount of the stolen goods was found in his possession and he pleaded guilty in the district court today, being held for the grand jury in $300.

DOWIE CONVERTS

COLEBROOK PEOPLE JOIN THE RANKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Nov. 11—A special from Colebrook, says:

New Hampshire's latest contribution to the Rev. John Alexander Dowie's "Zion" are Mrs. Sarah Mulliken, her nephew, Fred Buffington and the family of the latter. Mrs. Mulliken is an aged lady and is in feeble health and it is feared by her friends that the journey to Chicago may prove too much for her.

Mrs. Mulliken sold her residence in this village, as well as all her personal effect sand contributed the money realized by the sale to the Dowie institution.

ROSE FINLEY

MUST SERVE THREE YEARS IN PRISON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LACONIA, N. H., Nov. 11—Having pleaded nolo contendere to a charge of manslaughter, Rose A. Finley of this city was taken to Concord to serve a sentence of not less than three nor more than five years in the state prison. The girl was accused of drowning her child, several weeks old, in the Winnepesaukee river by throwing it from a bridge here on April 30, last.

COTTON MARKET

ON WAY TOWARD HIGH POINT OF THE SEASON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—After opening steady but rather irregular and nervous, as a result of conflicting early cables, the cotton market this morning became very active and was soon on its way toward the high point of the season. The declines are due to a liquidation and the lack of a turn in far eastern markets.

The market was rather quiet, but almost immediately the bulls began to support prices. Dec. sold at 11.05; Jan. at 11.08; March at 11.11 and May at 11.11, these being net gains of 14 to 16 points.

CANAL TREATY

Colombia Cannot Take Action Now

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—It is stated here on authority that it is too late for Colombia to make any effort to resurrect the canal treaty with the United States and beyond preventing a hostile clash between Colombia and the new republic of Panama, the proposed visit of General Reyes to Panama will be without result.

The same authority points out that the United States government, having recognized Panama as an independent state, cannot now proceed to negotiate with Colombia on any terms for canal rights in a state over which Colombia exercises no political control, so any future canal negotiations will be between the United States government and the government of Panama.

Mr. Tower, our ambassador at Berlin, has cabled the state department that he has been requested by Baron Richthofen, the German foreign secretary, to inform the Washington government that the report that Germany intended to become involved in the isthmian situation is entirely without foundation and that nothing is known in Berlin of the intention of Colombia to appeal to Emperor William for assistance as was alleged in a recent interview by the Colombian consul-general at New York. Mr. Tower adds that he was further assured by the foreign secretary in a most earnest and sincere manner that the question of Germany's interfering in Panama simply did not exist.

The statement is authorized that the information conveyed to our ambassador at Berlin was entirely voluntary on the part of the German government as the interview of the Colombian consul-general at New York had been ignored here. The action of the Berlin government is thoroughly appreciated by the Washington government, for although it merely confirmed what the State department already knew, the moral effect of the reiteration at this time of Germany's friendly attitude to the United States will not, it is thought, be lost on the other powers.

J. PIERPONT MORGAN

WILL NOT RETIRE FROM BUSINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Nov. 11—The report from New York to the effect that J. Pierpont Morgan proposed to retire from business was given prominence in the newspapers here today and the weakness of Americans on the stock exchange was attributed thereto, though the operators were somewhat sceptical as to the truth of the rumor.

REPORTS ERRONEOUS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—At the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. it was said today that Mr. Morgan had no intention whatever of retiring from active business and that the report that he had such intention was entirely erroneous.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

10.10 a. m.—First trading in stocks showed very large transactions and irregular changes in a few inactive issues while the general list was comparatively unaffected. The United States Steel stocks rose 1-2 and the second bonds 1-4 and 330 shares of Amalgamated Copper sold simultaneously at 39 1-2 and 39 compared with 38 3-4 last night. Pennsylvania on the other hand was under continued pressure, the first 1,000 shares selling at a decline of 3-8. The purchase of 8,000 shares lifted it 3-8. Dealings in these stocks continued on a large scale with rather feverish fluctuations.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—Cotton—Futures opened steady. Nov., --; Dec., 10.92; Jan. 10.30; Mar. 10.96; April ofd. 10.99; May, 10.96; June, 10.98; July, 10.99; Aug., 10.81.

MINES RESUME WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HELENA, Mont., Nov. 11—Operations were resumed at all of the Amalgamated Copper company's properties in the state this morning as a result of the promise made by William Scallon that he would re-open the workings at once if Gov. Toole called a special session of the legislature to enact legislation providing for the hearing of litigation by unprejudiced judges.

SENT TO ASYLUM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 11—Peter O. Elliott, whose suspicious actions led to his arrest, when he attempted to see the president at Washington, has been sent to an asylum for examination to determine his mental condition.

MARKETS IN BAD CONDITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Nov. 11.—Local mill men say that they know of no local movement looking toward a cut in wages, similar to that made in Fall River, but they admit that the markets are in bad condition and must be relieved in some way soon.

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 11.—The annual convention of the Episcopal diocese of Albany is in session today at All Saints cathedral. In the course of his annual convention address, Bishop Doane, for the first time admitted the failing of his own physical strength and practically asked for the appointment of a coadjutor.

IRON WORKERS' STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—Fifteen iron workers employed in the construction of the O'Gorman building in this city, went on strike today as the result of the order issued by President Buchanan of the Iron Workers' union last week. These men are the only ones in this section engaged in contract work of the Iron League.

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FRIARS' CLAIMS

Taft Expects to Settle Them

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Advices reaching the war department from Manila indicate that before he sails for the United States on December 23, Governor Taft will have succeeded in settling the claims of the friars for their extensive property holdings in the islands. Negotiations to this end have been in progress at Manila between Governor Taft and Monsignor Guidi, the papal delegate, ever since the governor's return to the islands from Rome. The main obstacle to a settlement appears to have been an issue between the papal delegates and the religious orders as to the proportion of the purchase money, to be paid by the insular government, that was to be turned over to Rome. The friars naturally desired to receive the major part of the allotment and when they learned that the church insisted upon a certain sum they sought to make good their own proportions by increasing the sum total of the price demanded for the lands. This ran the total up to about $14,000,000, a sum entirely beyond any figure which the insular government was willing to consider. Realizing that with Governor Taft's departure, the chances of a settlement would become more remote, the church authorities have, it is learned, brought pressure to bear upon the friars with result that the insular government expects to be able to acquire their entire holdings in the Philippines for a sum approximating $6,000,000.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

GENERAL HUGHES HANGED HIMSELF IN HIS HOME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RUTLAND, Vt., Nov. 11.—Word has been received here of the suicide at Granville, N. Y., today of General William H. Hughes, the millionaire slate manufacturer. His body was found hanging from a banister in the hall of his home. Two months ago his failure was announced and it is believed that despondency following business reverses led to self-destruction.

DRESSER A WITNESS

IN HEARING OF CREDITORS OF THE FIRM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Daniel Leroy Dresser was again a witness today in the hearing of the creditors of the firm of Dresser & Co.

Mr. Dresser was questioned regarding several stock transactions which did not appear fully on his books.

Attorney Hodges said that according to his reading of the books of the firm, drafts by the Narragansett Web company, amounting to $140,000 were accepted by Dresser & Co. in 1902 and were outstanding at one time. He wanted to know why these drafts were accepted but Mr. Dresser could not say.

Charles E. Boles of the firm of Dresser & Co. testified that he was put down as an underwriter of the ship-building company while absent from the city, as Mr. Dresser wanted an underwriter on a certain date. The Trust Company of the Republic carried the loan for him. He never saw any of the bonds and understood they were sold out and the account closed. He heard they brought $27,000.

"You borrowed $125,000 from the Trust Company of the Republic then?" continued Attorney Hodge.

"I believe so. As an underwriter of 111 bonds at 94 per cent. I received 350 shares of the preferred stock and 375 shares of the common stock."

SECRETARY HAY

WILL CONFER WITH THE NEW ENVOY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—An important conference will be held this afternoon between Secretary Hay and M. Philippe Buneau-Varilla, the envoy from Panama, at the residence of the secretary, for the purpose of considering the opening of negotiations with the Republic of Panama for the early conclusion of a canal treaty. The commission, which is coming from Panama, the envoy points out, is merely for the purpose of facilitating the negotiations. M. Buneau-Varilla, it is said, has full power to conduct the negotiations, but in a case a question arises on which the opinion of the government is desired, he will refer it to the commission for decision and thus avoid the necessity of cabling to Panama.

TO END FRAUDS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Senator Hansbrough introduced in the senate yesterday a bill which, by implication, repeals the timber and stone act, under which land is now acquired at $2.50 an acre regardless of its real value. The measure is intended to cure defects in existing laws, put a quietus upon speculation in public timber lands and an end to the frauds which recently have grown into a national scandal. It was referred to the committee on public lands, of which the author is chairman.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Cole, otherwise called Ann Garrity, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by John J. Cole, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this tenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Bernard Reynolds, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Michael Reynolds, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this tenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register

BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to October 12, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *0.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.41, *1.50, w2.30, x3.03, w3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 6.22, x6.49, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.29, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.89, 7.24, w8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.05, w4.06, 4.25, w5.30, 5.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, n2.30, n3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland,) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.41, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction. Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.33 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.00, 1.00, *1.33, 3.40, *5.30, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *1.39 (to Franklin only.) 5.40, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.,) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *b9.10, 9.24 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *b9.10 p.m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air line, *10.39 a. m.; *19.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p.m. (daily except Saturdays.

References:

aVia Wakefield Junction.

*Express. bDaily.

qWednesdays and Saturdays only.

wVia Western Division.

xVia Bedford. zVia Wilmington Junc.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.

H. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER.

Mother—What are you getting up so early for? Daughter—I cannot sleep. Why, dear? I've been thinking all night. Of what? Oh, of the curious things I saw yesterday at one of the windows. What do you mean; are you dreaming? No, but haven't you heard about the new store just opened, and they have got the most beautiful things I ever saw. All my friends have been in to see them. Do you know the place? I do. Where is it? I'll go down with you. THE ORIENTAL BAZAAR, 318 Merrimack Street.

LANDLORDS.

If you have a tenement idle that rents for $15 a month, you are losing 50 cents a day every day it is vacant A little ad. in The Sun "To Let" column will rent your tenement in a very few days. Others have tried it with good results; why don't you try it?

HELP WANTED

A CANVASSING AGENT with small amount of money may secure the agency of a California product that can be sold to every family of Lowell and surrounding country; a fine seller for a house-to-house canvasser to handle with other goods; it is an article of daily consumption and where once sold is a sure repeater; the product is not as yet introduced in Mass., but hundreds of applications have been received from there. For particulars, prices and sample, address Manager, P. O. box 587, San Jose, Cal.

WANTED—Experienced tailor. Apply Raymond & Snider, 233 Middlesex street.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Experienced demonstrators; salary paid. Call New American house, Cero Fruto Co., after 7 o'clock p. m.

KITCHEN GIRL wanted at 30 Cabot street at once.

WANTED—At the Highland house, 749 Middlesex street, a good table girl. Samuel Smith.

WANTED—An old lady to do housework for two and take care of child. Inquire 124 High street, in rear.

THREE YOUNG MEN over 21 years; good chance to learn a lucrative business; splendid chance for promotion. Apply 13 Merrimack square, room 1.

UNEMPLOYED MEN and women everywhere, city or country; particulars for stamp. Ross Medicine Co., 685 Burling street, Chicago.

AN Illinois corporation with a capital of $250,000, established seven years, and in successful operation in Chicago, New York and St. Louis, having decided to extend business throughout the United States and Canada, desires connection with competent man as exclusive territorial manager who will invest $1000 in the dividend paying stock of the company with guarantee against loss; salary $150 per month and 15 per cent. of net profits, which will at least equal salary; system protected by copyrights and in demand by all merchants and manufacturers the year around; 95 per cent. of customers have renewed contracts for seven years; system simple, complete mastery quickly acquired; no scheme; no speculation; straight, clean, honorable business; will stand the most searching investigation; highest commercial and bank references furnished. Address Director of Agencies, Tribune building, Chicago.

AGENTS to sell spectacle cleaners; sell at sight to anyone wearing glasses; sample 10 cents; agent's outfit 25 cents. Optical Supply Co., South Whitley, Ind.

GREATEST MONEY-MAKER KNOWN —1000 per cent. on investment; no speculation, no risk; straight business. Energetic promoter wanted to form state company. Electric Advertising Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

TO LET

TO LET—Furnished front room, heat, gas and privilege of bath. Inquire at 14 Carlton street, suite 2.

TENEMENTS TO LET—On Ludlam street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Louis Clements, 414 Broadway or 201 Ludlam street.

TO LET—Two separate tenements with bath, on School street, off Branch street. Inquire 148 B street or at Wilson's drug store.

TWO TENEMENTS to let of four rooms each, $5 per month, in rear of 153 East Merrimack street. Inquire on premises.

FURNISHED ROOM to let, with or without board. 21 Osgood street; use of bath.

TO LET—Pleasant sunny tenement suitable for small family. Apply 51 Sydney street, off Moore.

TO LET—Pleasant furnished room, gas, bath and heat, with home conveniences. 522 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, hot and cold water good location. 207 Moore street.

TO LET—House and barn on Royal street. Apply at 468 Central street.

TO LET—Cottage house in good repair on Batchelder place; price very low, $12.50. Key for inspection next door.

TENEMENTS in all parts of the city at all prices; we have several that will make extra warm, sunny homes for the winter. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished room; home comforts, heat, gas, bath. School street, near Pawtucket street. Inquire Sun office.

TO LET—5, 6, 7-room tenements in good repair. 164 Lawrence street.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in the city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 45 principal cities. Tolman, room 26, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leinhas, room 9, Barristers hall.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

A MAN WITHOUT A HOME is wrong; another three tons of coal given away free to the first customer that buys this fine two-tenement house; $100 or more down, balance as rent; $3 a month given away free for prompt payments; here is your chance to get a start; don't lose this golden opportunity; the rents you have paid to landlords would soon pay for a fine house; a home is a good thing; everybody ought to have one; if you own one you are glad; if you haven't one you will be glad when you get one; don't take any man's word, come and see for yourself; this property is right at the doors of all the large manufactures, with improved streets; electric light in front of door; call today or tomorrow. The S. Lagasse Co., 335 Hildreth street, Centralville.

FOR SALE—Cheap, house lots near mills and electrics; instalment plan; easy terms. Inquire 465 Merrimack street, Lowell.

E. H. WHITE

Successor to Fish & Plummer.

137 CENTRAL STREET

Our Motto: "Honest Representation, Fair Dealing, Justice to the Owner, Satisfaction to the Buyer."

FOR SALE—Two-tenement house in Belvidere. Bath, hot water, six rooms to each tenement. Well rented. Price $3500.

FOR SALE—15-room lodging house. Steam heat, shower bath, running water in each room. Rooms bring in $20 per week. Well furnished. Price $800.

FOR SALE—Cottage house in Belvidere. All modern improvements, including furnace heat, good lot of land. Price $17.0.

FOR SALE—Fine residence and stable in the Highlands, near street cars, all modern conveniences. Price and terms right.

FOR SALE—Nearly new modern house of eight rooms near Jenness and Chelmsford street. Large lot of land. Price only $2800.

TO RENT—Five-room tenement on Barclay street, $10.50. Small tenement on East Pine street, $8. Eight-room house, $12. Tenement and stable, Walker street, $15. Fine residence on Dover street, $26.

WANT ANYTHING?

Ask and you shall receive; that is, if you advertise in The Sun.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good parlor suite, $15. Gardner Bros., 76 Pine street.

DRESS GOODS REMNANTS, cheap, from the Merrimack Woolen mills. Corner store, Lakeview avenue and Pleasant street, Navy Yard.

FOR SALE—Furnished boarding house full of boarders. Inquire at Sun office.

FOR SALE—Bakery doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 119 Branch street.

BOARDING HOUSE for sale; good locality; ill-health reason for wishing to sell. Address B. K., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Carrots for horses by the barrel. C. H. Cutter, 694 Mammoth road, Dracut. Tel. connection.

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at White's, 376 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 60 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 30c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack street.

MISCELLANEOUS

THERE WILL BE an auction sale on butter, meats, groceries, lard, poultry, potatoes, etc., Saturday evening at 7 o'clock sharp, rain or shine; no buy bidders; everything goes under the hammer. Pike's Market, corner Howard and Middlesex streets.

LADIES' AID of the F. F. B. will hold a baked bean supper Saturday evening, Nov. 14, at old Odd Fellows hall, Merrimack street, from 5 to 8 p. m. Supper 15 cents.

DR. C. BRET POOL has established new offices in Stott's block, 408 Middlesex street.

ORLANDO CERRATTI has moved his shoe shining parlors from Prescott street to new block 163 Bridge street. First-class shine 5 cents.

DRINK GLORIA; gives youthful vigor; new life and pleasure in every drink. Royle Bros., Agents.

MADAME LENORE, clairvoyant and card reader, 71 Tyler street. Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Hours 10 a. m. to 12 and 2 to 10 p. m.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Mutter's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood, acts immediately; "It does the business"; sample free. Kruigee, chemist, Dept. No. 5, Milwaukee, Wis.

PIANO OR ORGAN LESSONS at your home; special pains taken with children or advanced pupils; will accompany any instrument for entertainments; years of experience. Mabel Randall, Chelmsford Centre.

STOVES—New and second hand, bought, sold and exchanged. Reliable Furniture Co., 165 Middlesex street.

MISS UPHAM, clairvoyant and life reader. Card reading 25 cents. 81 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

MARTIN HONAN, Grocer, 760 Gorham street, handles the choicest goods; quality considered, our prices are the lowest in the city; call in and see for yourself; discount stamps given.

SHIRT WAISTS GIVEN FREE at Highland Remnant Store, 30 Pine street. We want 10,000 ladies to call and see our stock of Ottomans, Vestings, Silks, Sateens, Madras Cloth, Mercerized Waistings and Shirtings, Ginghams, Flannelettes, etc., which we carry and sell by the yard and pound. Come and be convinced that you can buy more and better goods here for your money than you can get in any other place in the city. Highland Remnant Store.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office. 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

MUSIC—German zither music furnished at reasonable rates for concerts, dinner parties, church entertainments and home socials. John C. Hansen, Bon Marche studio.

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 810 Central St.

MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 58 Middle St., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 836-13.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 261 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGouvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex street.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A black and tan dog on Lawrence street. Owner can have by calling at No. 6 Warnock street and paying for adv.

LOST—A pair of spectacles somewhere in Pawtucketville. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at Sun office.

LOST—Monday evening, a diamond ring in the Opera house. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Lady's gold watch on Christian Hill car at square or on Lawrence car Saturday between 11 and 12 a. m. Reward at Alvin Lawrence's, 27 Gorham street.

LOST—Three months' old black dog. Return to Walter McKenzie, 3 Queen St. and receive suitable reward.

LOST—Between Spalding and Palmer streets, an alligator side bag containing purse and change, also pearl rosary in case and handkerchief. Reward for return to 22 Bowers street.

LOST—Saturday morning, a pin with brilliants and rubies either on Gorham, Central or Prescott streets. Reward for return to H. E. Harris, 10 Appleton St.

LOST—Between Northern station and Seventh avenue, Pawtucketville, a trip book between Lowell and Boston. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Velvet chatelaine bag containing sum of money on Merrimack street. Reward for return to 480 Moody street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Work by the day or hour by woman, washing, ironing, cleaning, etc.; will also work in restaurant. Call 8 Union street.

A LADY would devote a few hours a day to an invalid in the Highlands; could read aloud, write, sew, etc. Address D. L., Sun.

WANTED

BOARDERS WANTED at 367 Lincoln street, near Gorham street.

WANTED—One or two small children to take care of. Inquire Sun office.

LADIES wishing to make their own dress will now have the opportunity to learn the Penley Dress Cutting System at 63 London street. Come now.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR OCTOBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of October, 1903, was **14,232** A gain of 725 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, November 2, 1903.

JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Governor Bates' Thanksgiving proclamation indicates that he would have been more at home in the ministry than in the gubernatorial office.

THE BRUTALITY OF COLLEGE HAZING.

If the college hazing keeps on in its dangerous and often fatal form, it will soon be necessary for each student on entering to arm himself with a seven-shooter and several rounds of ammunition. In no other way can a young man defend himself against brutality such as that shown at a school in Baltimore in which a freshman was lynched by a gang of young savages in one of their hazing carousals. It would have served them right if the victim of their assault had been able to shoot them down.

CONGRESS AND THE CUBAN TREATY.

It remains to be seen whether congress will hold up the Cuban treaty any longer just because the president has been endeavoring to push it. In his message the president appeals for the adoption of the reciprocity treaty on the ground of national honor. The republican party is afraid that any concession in the line of reciprocity in trade will be but the entering wedge by which similar concessions will be forced for other nations, Canada among the number. Reciprocity with Canada is just as necessary as with Cuba and would prove equally beneficial to this country. It is bound to come.

THE PROPOSED CUT DOWN.

The decision to cut wages in the Fall River mills will spread alarm among the textile workers of New England. The high price of cotton caused mainly by speculators, is the principal cause and the fact that the price of the manufactured product has not risen in proportion. The long shut down of the Lowell mills during the strike may be instrumental in enabling them to avoid a cut down such as is proposed in Fall River.

The cut down coming at the beginning of winter cannot be resisted by a strike, as a strike in winter would be immeasurably more disastrous than one in summer.

DRESS REFORM ON GRADUATION DAY.

There is trouble in the Beverly High school because one of the teachers has suggested a dress reform for graduating day to consist of a calico, gingham, or percale dress, not to cost over $5, for girls. The object is to prevent the unnecessary expense that is incurred in getting costly graduating dresses. The boys, of course, are expected to wear plain clothes, the swallow-tailed suits to be barred. They, too, are somewhat perturbed because they have planned a number of dances at which they had hoped to shine in dress suits. The proposed reform is in the interest of all but particularly of the members of the class who cannot afford expensive costumes. The opposition to the scheme, however, is apparently strong enough to defeat it for the present at least.

THE COLOMBIAN SITUATION.

The effort of Colombia to call in European aid against the United States indicates the possibility of future trouble. Those saucy little republics that we have been protecting for years at great peril to our national peace, do not seem to appreciate the fact that they are under an obligation to us. The control of the Isthmian canal is necessary to our national safety, and the present little transition in Panama will settle that matter in our favor. Colombia has thrown away her opportunity. It will never return. It is now useless for her to lower her terms or say she will accept the canal treaty. A new republic now controls the canal route, and it is not Colombia's to give. Neither is it the province of the United States to destroy this republic in the interests of Colombia. Events in the isthmus have shaped themselves in our favor, and when the next senate treaty is made the Republic of Panama will be the grantor, and it is likely that the conditions, if not the price to be paid, will be more to our liking than those of the Hay-Herran treaty.

THE FIREMEN'S DEMAND.

It is difficult to conceive how any argument can be adduced against the petition in favor of granting the firemen four days a month off.

If "days off" meant that the firemen could get off in turn and disregard all the alarms that might be sounded in their absence then there might be some reasonable objection upon the ground that the department would be crippled. But while the firemen off duty are obliged to respond to alarms same as when on duty, there can be no valid reason for refusing to give them four days a month off.

The only difference is that if they were at the station instead of at home they might do the chores, but the house duty is not so heavy as that it cannot be done by the men who remain after letting out one at a time in their turn.

If a fireman "off duty" fails to respond to an alarm when the apparatus of his station goes out he is fined one dollar, and for failure to respond to an alarm when the apparatus does not go out fifty cents.

Under such an arrangement it is plainly absurd to say that a fireman is off duty when he spends a day at home. He is relied upon for service in case of an alarm just the same as if he were at the station, so that there is but little "offness" about it.

There are four Sundays in a month when all other city employes rest or go where they please. Most of the other city employes work but eight hours and have besides a half holiday on Saturday during the summer, if not throughout the year.

The firemen work twenty-four hours a day and have the privilege on three days a month of awaiting alarms at their homes, instead of at their respective stations. They want this slight privilege extended to four days and it would be a gross injustice if their request be not granted.

These firemen have families like other men and like other men much of their attention is required about their houses, but they are limited to their meal hours and the three days a month.

Their life closely resembles imprisonment, as they are night and day separated from their families with the exception of the three days mentioned.

If they asked for a day a month with exemption from responding to alarms, common fairness and justice would dictate the granting of their demand, but they do not go so far; they are willing still to remain on duty 365 days in the year. It would be simply outrageous to refuse their demand for another day with their families so far as the absence of active service with their respective stations will permit. The life of a fireman is not what is generally supposed to be. It is one of endless waiting, watching, one of never ending readiness to jump at the sound of the bell, one of much danger and excitement, one in which the risks are so great that insurance companies avoid them. The average citizen does not realize the risks, the dangers, the weariness, the suspense and the privation that combine to make up the average fireman's life. Nobody need be afraid of making it too enjoyable by giving the fireman the opportunity to be a little longer with his family every month.

SEEN AND HEARD

Perhaps Col. Ripley didn't know it was loaded.

Rocking the cradle of the deep will not hush the ocean's squalls.

If you are not satisfied with your lot put it in the hands of a real estate dealer.

The side-wheel steamer Mt. Desert, which has been in constant service during the season for nearly a quarter of a century, and on which many Lowell people have been passengers, ended her long career in Penobscot bay last week.

Speaking of paramount questions, the one relating to the winter overcoat will not down.

The weather man must have laid in a stock of cold waves at some bargain sale.

Nearly every large business is going into the hands of incorporated companies these days. Davis & Bargent, lumber dealers, are the latest in Lowell to become a company.

For three or four weeks now the wise men of the town will be busy telling in advance whom the next mayor will be.

BEALS FOR POLICE BOARD.

To be a member of the police board is highly esteemed in some quarters, judging from a conversation heard in a street car yesterday between two men.

"Where are you working?" asked one of the other.

"In the street department," was the reply.

"How do you like Beals?" was the next question.

"First rate," was the response, "but I don't see much of him. I hear he is going to give up the job of bossing streets for a better job."

"How is that?"

"Oh, he will be license commissioner if Howe is re-elected."

This conversation opens up a question in arithmetic. The superintendent of streets gets a salary of $200 a year, a police and license commissioner is paid $1000 annually in salary. How, then, is the commissioner's job better than that of street superintendent? For the best solution of this problem we will give a handsome Christmas box. Every resident of Lowell is entitled to guess early and often.

One of the sights on one of our public streets during the noon hour recently was six laboring men playing a vigorous game of cards in a dump cart.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

166 Central Street

The cheery enthusiasm

among the buyers in our boys' department is almost as gratifying as the extraordinary business we have had. It surely shows hearty appreciation of our efforts. We have never sold so many things for boys, never sold them so easily—and that it seems to us tells the whole story. New things are coming daily to replace those going, and the boys' stock represents in the highest degree the newest and best of serviceable goods at the least prices that can be named.

Warm and Stylish Overcoats for Boys

Here are twenty styles of new and pretty coats for small boys, 3 to 9 years.

Double Breast Overcoats for Boys 3 years to 6,

Made from dark oxford and olive meltons, with silk embroidered emblems on the sleeves, belted back and velvet collars for $3.50, $2.50 and **$2.00**

Overcoats for boys 3 years to 9

with military frogs and belted back; or, double breast with silk cord aiguilettes, military buttons and rank marks on sleeves; or, double breast with box plait front, double box plait back with belt; or Russian Overcoats, double breast with hood red lined, of oxford, blue and dark melton and frieze, $4.00 and . . **$3.50**

Fine Overcoats for boys 3 years to 9

The new Corona, double breast or box plait front of warm blue and oxford Friezes, or Zibelines and Kerseys, in brown, tan, red, blue and green mixtures, plain or with Persian lamb collars and cuffs, or trimmed with silk cord aiguilettes, $8, $7 and **$5.00**

Overcoats for boys 9 years to 16,

Made from oxford, blue and black meltons and friezes. Cut very long with the full skirt, box back, $4, $3.50 and . **$3.00**

Fine Frieze All Wool Overcoats for boys 9 years to 16

The full English box back, cut very long with a large sweep to the skirt, plain lined, fancy plaid lined or plaid lined with silk shoulders. Coats that are smart and stylish from Rogers, Peet & Co. or our shop for $12, $10, $8, $6 and **$5.00**

Boys' Fancy Plaid Tourist Overcoats

with half belts, made like the young men's coats, loose backs with a great sweep to the skirt. These are the latest novelties for boys from 9 to 16 years, are exceptionally stylish and most moderately priced $6, and . . **$8.00**

Reefers for boys 3 years to 12

Plain lined or lined with red flannel — from nice warm friezes in oxford, brown and blue. In brown and blue Montagnacs—the larger sizes plain, the small made with emblems and stripes on sleeves, with velvet or cloth collars. A lot of small sizes from last year at $1.25 with all of the new reefers from $2.50 to . . **$7.00**

Boys' Smart Winter Suits

For Young Boys, 3 years to 10

Sailor blouse suits, Russian blouse suits and pretty little Norfolks. The newest Sailors have double breast blouse, Eton collar and Knickerbocker breeches, but we provide also blouses with the deep Sailor collar. Russian blouse suits with the new Eton collar or with deep Sailor collar as preferred. These several styles are made Navy blue, brown and cadet blue serges, and from bright, pretty cheviots, especially chosen for these small sizes. These little suits from . . **$2 to $8**

Suits With Vests, for boys 9 years to 16

The new College jacket, smart cut, single breasted, with vest and short trousers, of blue and black serges, worsted cheviots and handsome fancy serges. We never offered better values than today in these suits . **$3 to $12**

Norfolk Suits, for boys 8 years to 16

Made from smart cheviots and plain blue and black cheviots and serges. Some very stunning Norfolks are made from Galashiels cheviots and with Knickerbocker breeches—nothing more stylish than these for the well dressed boy—some 40 styles of Norfolks from . **$2 to $9**

Double Breast Suits, for boys 8 years to 16

These two-piece suits have become exceedingly popular and the new jacket, cut like the young men's sacks, with long roll and smart lapels, makes this one of the most becoming suits a boy can wear—of cheviots and plain blue and black worsted cheviots . . **$2 to $5**

A Norfolk Bargain. Some Splendid Suits A Dollar Under Price

A new lot of all wool, neat dark brown mixed cheviot Norfolk suits. This season's new goods, nicely tailored, smart and stylish, regular price $4. We offer today for **$3**

Norfolk Special Bargain The best value we have ever offered in fine suits

All of a manufacturer's new sample Norfolks and all of the fine suits he had in stock. Very stylish, strictly all wool cheviots in the season's newest colors—splendidly tailored. The actual value of each suit is at least $5; many of these would be cheap at $6. All today marked **$3.75**

Everything Else for Boys

Boys' Separate Winter Trousers, 25c to 95c

Boys' New Corduroy Trousers.... 50c

4 years to 16. All riveted buttons.

Boys' Fancy Bosom Shirts..... 37½c

Boys' Winter Negligee Shirts, 45c to 75c

Boys' Trimmed Night Shirts..... 46c

Boys' Domet Night Shirts..... 46c

Boys' Flannel Blouses.....25c to 50c

Boys' Fleeced Underwear....23c to 48c

Boys' Natural Wool Underwear....48c

Boys' Heavy Jersey Underwear....48c

Boys' Heavy Sweaters..... 50c

Boys' All Wool Sweaters.....$1.00

Boys' Golf Caps.....12½c to 50c

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Boys' Winter Caps.....25c to 50c

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"PREVIOUS QUESTION"

Homer Turcotte Gets the Parliamentarians Going

Question Promises to Rival the Age of Ann—French Voters Fail to Agree on Councilmanic Candidates in Ward Seven—L. P. Turcotte a Candidate for Alderman—Other Political Gossip

Janitor Homer Turcotte blew into the office of City Messenger Pattee at City Hall, yesterday and cried out: "I want to ask you a question."

"She's 18," promptly replied the city messenger. "I know the whole family. I remember when both she and Mary were born. The old man used to drive stage down to Canaan."

"What are you talking about?" exclaimed Homer in wonder at his boss' queer break.

"Weren't you about to ask me how old Ann is?" queried the messenger.

"Not at all," replied the elongated keeper of the municipal key-ring. "I wanted to ask you something about the previous question." And then Homer explained himself.

It seems that at a meeting of a club to which Homer and his father, L. P. Turcotte, belong, the latter being the presiding officer, a motion was made by one of the members to which another member immediately offered an amendment and then followed a lengthy discussion of the subject pro and con in which nearly all present participated. Finally, to put an end to the mix-up, a member moved the previous question and it was carried by a strong affirmative vote.

When the elder Turcotte had declared the motion on the previous question carried, he proceeded to put the motion as it was originally made, ignoring the amendment.

Homer, for once in his life, disagreed with his father, for he couldn't see by what right the amendment was choked off.

"What kind of rules are you working under, republican city committee?" asked Homer, thinking he'd jolly his dad.

"That's according to Hoyle or Cushing my boy," replied the elder Turcotte. "Cushing says that when the previous question is carried affirmatively the main question must be put at once and the original motion is the main question."

"I hold that the amendment must be considered first and I'll prove it when I get to City Hall," said Homer.

So, yesterday Homer went from top to bottom of City Hall asking his question over and over again and for every man who agreed with him he found another who agreed with his father and there was great poring through the volumes of Cushing that are kept at City Hall.

As luck would have it, Cushing's manual is very indefinite on the matter, the little amendment not being provided for in the manual and to make matters worse the expert parliamentarians of the municipal building disagree. Some claim that the original motion is the main question, while others claim that an amendment having been properly made and seconded becomes for the time being the main question, having been offered before the previous question was called for.

Now that Ann's age has been successfully figured out, let all the heavy thinkers get together and figure out whether Homer had better stick close to the rulings of his father or whether Louis had better get a few points from his son.

The Sun will print any solutions that its readers may care to submit on this interesting question.

But getting back once more to the main question without further debate, Mr. Louis P. Turcotte is generally mentioned throughout ward seven as a republican aldermanic candidate from that ward and he is said to possess the backing necessary to land him the nomination. His only opponent is ex-Councilman Eben T. Stafford, but as Eben has been out of the game for a few years there is some doubt as to his ability to get back. James O'Sullivan is mentioned as a probable candidate but after the "bump" he received in the caucuses a year ago it is doubtful if he will take another chance. Mr. Turcotte is vice-chairman of the republican city committee and a great hustler among the French-American voters. He is a leading Hayes lieutenant and "Bill" in return for past favors will probably take off his coat for him.

Down town last night I overheard a funny "Irish bull" as the result of a little spellbinding. A friend of Purchasing Agent Rourke's was asking an elderly Irish gentleman to vote for Fred at the coming caucuses.

"Sure I will," replied the old man, "and he'll be elected too. Any man that won by 2600 last year don't need to fear agin."

"Yes, but you know you must nominate him in the caucuses first," explained his friend.

"O, the devil with the caucuses! Sure, he'll be elected anyway," was the answer.

Joseph G. Murphy, the well-known basso of the Mozart quartet, is a democratic candidate for common council in ward nine. If music hath charms to soothe the savage voter's breast, "Joe" should have easy winning.

"Why is it that so many doctors run for the school board?" inquires a correspondent.

Perhaps it's because that department needs a remedy more than any other. The city auditor and the appropriations committee can see this joke, all right.

Ex-Councilman Harry Swan of Ward Six will be a candidate for aldermanic honors in that ward at the republican caucuses.

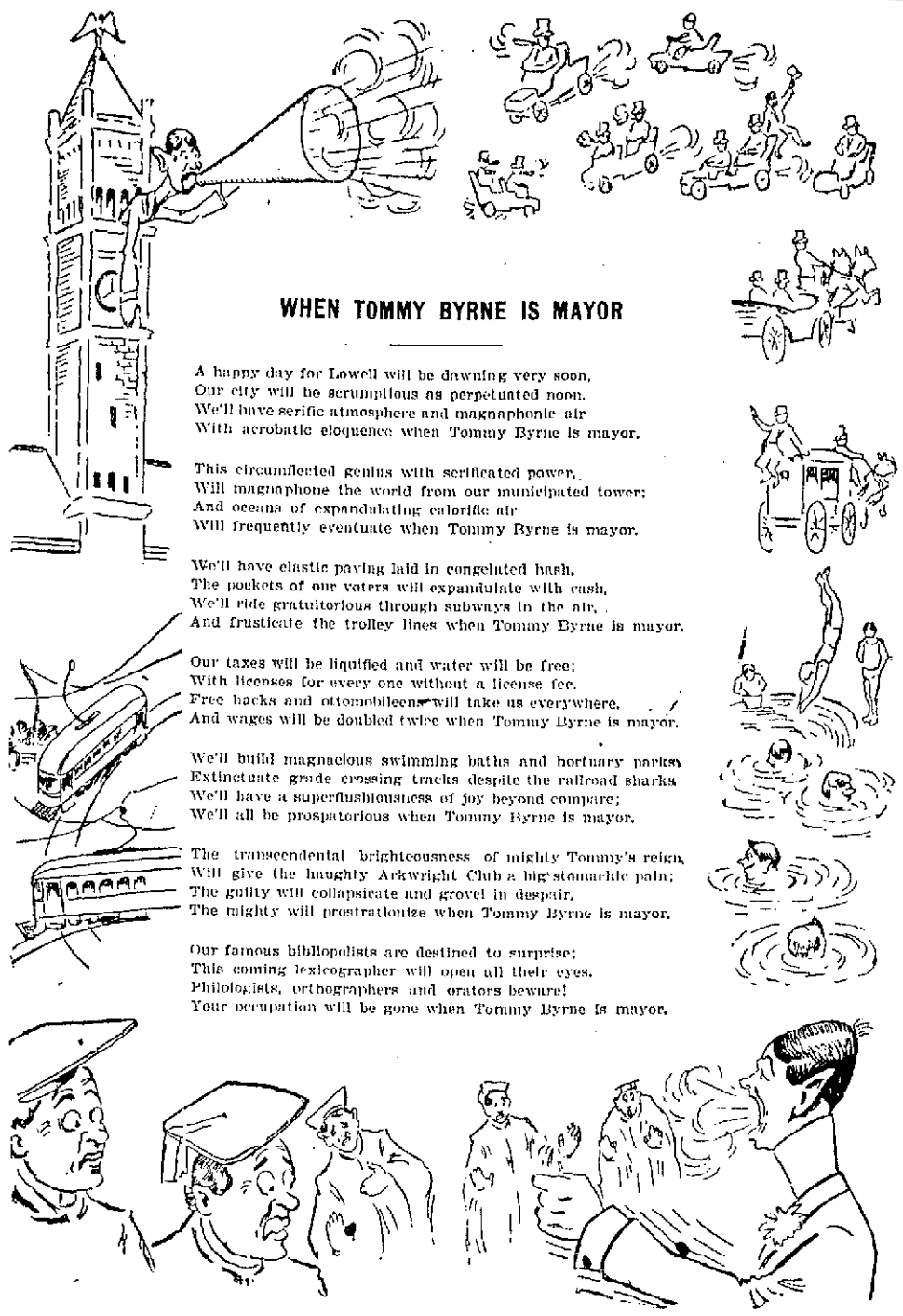
Twenty five names were added to the voting list yesterday, making a total of 47, by wards as follows: Ward One, 3; Two, 5; Three, 0; Four, 6; Five, 3; Seven, 0; Eight, 1; Nine, 1.

The Citoyens Americains met last night and talked politics at length. Three of the councilmanic candidates, Dr. Gagnon, Leon Marcotte and Omer Allard, were present.

The idea of calling a meeting of French voters of the ward has been abandoned and every French councilmanic candidate will have to take his chances in the caucuses. They are Dr. A. J. Gagnon, Leon Marcotte, Prosper Cossette, Omer Allard, Wilfred Paradis, Jr.

Nearly 300 voters of Ward Two met last night in the Green schoolhouse in the interest of Hon. Peter J. Brady. T. Gallagher presided and Jere Murphy acted as secretary. The voters present pledged themselves to work for Mr. Brady's success. After enthusiastic speeches by prominent democrats the meeting adjourned to meet Friday evening, Nov. 13, at 7.45.

The Ward Eight Brady supporters met last evening at the Lincoln school, about one hundred being present. Plans were outlined for registration. John J. Griffin was elected president and Edward F. Gormley, secretary. The club will meet again Monday evening.



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The pockets of our voters will expandulate with cash,
We'll ride gratuitorious through subways in the air,
And frusticate the trolley lines when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

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With licenses for every one without a license fee.
Free hacks and ottomobileens will take us everywhere,
And wages will be doubled twice when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

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Extinctuate grade crossing tracks despite the railroad sharks
We'll have a superflushiousness of joy beyond compare;
We'll all be prosparterious when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

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SCORES CLEVELAND

Bryan Gets After the Former President

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—A large number of friends and admirers gathered at the Majestic's pier yesterday to bid bon voyage to William Jennings Bryan, who sailed on his first visit to Europe.

In an interview before sailing, Mr. Bryan paid his respects to Grover Cleveland in no uncertain terms. In the opinion of Bryan, Cleveland is the bugaboo of the democratic party.

In his interview, speaking of Cleveland, Bryan said:

"To carry out a bargain with Wall street, he made the White House the rendezvous of syndicates and exploiters and administered the treasury department in a manner that makes the record of the unjust steward of Bible fame seem parsimonious by comparison.

"His record as president was such a stench in the nostrils of his party that even with the patronage of that great office and with the aid of the money magnates, whose treasuries he enriched he could not secure an indorsement from the convention. In the campaign following, when democracy was engaged in a gigantic struggle with plutocracy, he formed the salaried officers whom he could coerce into a band of Hessians and attacked the rear of the democratic party while the republicans waged war from the front.

"When the election was over he was the chief figure at a high-priced banquet, and gloated over the defeat of the party that raised him from obscurity to fame. Since that time he has lost no opportunity to stand in sight of the public, beat his breast and proclaim his political superiority.

"He has done more business on less capital than any man who has ever occupied so high an office. If his democracy were capitalized at his own estimate it would give us an example of water stock, and then, measured by the teachings of Jefferson and Jackson, it would make the water-logged enterprise of the trust promoters seem bona fide and honorable. This is a conservative estimate of his political worth. But I am just leaving America and haven't time to do the subject justice. I may enter into the matter more at length when I return."

"Then you do not seem to think that Mr. Cleveland has a chance for the nomination next year?"

"No. He has never had a chance since 1896, and he is so old now that if he repented in sackcloth and ashes—and it would hull the market on both if he undertook it—he would be overtaken by decrepitude before he could bring forth works meet for repentence. I doubt if he could carry a state in the Union.

"The people who talk about nominating him are either indulging in humor or they have very little knowledge of the sentiment that exists among the rank and file of the democratic party. The republican papers which are praising Mr. Cleveland now and urging his nomination are the very papers that accused him of filling the land with soup-houses and tramps and questioned the honesty of his contracts with the bond brokers."

"Would you accept another nomination for the presidency?" Mr. Bryan was asked.

"I would not. I am not and shall not be a candidate. I expect to fight for democratic principles for the next 25 years; that will take me through six presidential campaigns. I will be 68 years of age then and that's not very old for a man who gets as much good advice as I do.

"I think that all real democrats will present a united front in the next national campaign. Some men who are not true democrats may not take their stand with the party. I believe the party has a good chance of success next year too.

"No one can decide who the logical candidate is or will be. The trouble about logical candidates," and Mr. Bryan smiled sadly as his voice took a reminiscent tone, "the trouble about logical candidates is getting people to accept your idea of logic."

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MATRIMONIAL

The Buckingham, Eng., Express of recent date, contains the following wedding notice:

On Wednesday afternoon, the Church of S. S. Peter and Paul, Buckingham, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, the contracting parties being Mr. George Frederick Marshall, third son of the late Councillor J. Marshall, and Mrs. Marshall of Buckingham, and Miss Alice Maud Kitchener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kitchener of Well street, Buckingham.

There was a large attendance at church at the time fixed for the ceremony, and the bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Samuel Kitchener, who gave her away.

She was prettily attired in a dress of volle de soir, trimmed with silk and pillow point lace, and wore a bridal veil, surmounted with a wreath of orange blossoms.

The ladies in attendance as bridesmaids were Miss Annie Kitchener, (sister), and Miss Annie Kitchener (niece), who wore dresses of cream crepe delaine, trimmed with lace and Paris insertion and ribbon. Two little girls, Miss Edith Kitchener and Miss Lucy Turner, also acted as bridesmaids, and these looked very pretty in frocks of pale blue crepe delaine, trimmed with Paris lace.

The whole of the bridesmaids wore hats of white felt, trimmed with pale blue ribbon and foliage, and also wore gold brooches, the gift of the bridegroom.

The bride carried a lively shower bouquet, and the two elder bridesmaids bouquets of chrysanthemums, whilst the little girls carried baskets of choice flowers.

Mr. Tom Marshall, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man. A reception was afterwards held at the residence of the bride's mother, and at 5.40 the happy couple left Buckingham station en route for Brighton, where the honeymoon will be spent.

The bride is a sister of Mr. George Kitchener, proprietor of "The Wonder" on Central street.

FRENCH—COLBY.

The marriage of Mr. George A. French and Miss Elizabeth E. Colby took place yesterday at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Arthur D. Colby, Rev. James F. Allen performing the ceremony. Grace A. Colby was bridesmaid, and A. D. Colby was best man. The wedding march was played by Mr. Luther Gilmore. A very informal reception was held, after which a dainty repast was served by Mrs. A. D. Colby assisted by Misses Hazel Gilmore, Ethel Smith and Alice Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. French will be at home to their friends after June 1, Warren avenue, Chelmsford Centre.

DOWNEY—McMAHON.

Mr. Michael Downey and Miss Mary McMahon were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I., at the Immaculate Conception parochial residence yesterday. The bride was attended by Miss Mamie Brown, an intimate friend of the bride, and the best man was Michael McMahon, brother of the bride. The bride wore an exquisite gown of white China silk with pearl trimmings, and the bridesmaid a gown of white silk trimmed with chiffon. She carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the future home of the happy couple, 67 South Whipple street.

HOGAN—SCOLLANE.

The marriage of Mr. Patrick Hogan and Miss Mary Scollane took place yesterday afternoon at St. Patrick's parochial residence, Rev. John J. McHugh officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Bridget Scollane and Mr. James Hogan was best man.

SHEA—CONNELL.

Mr. James A. Shea and Miss Ellen M. Connell were joined in wedlock at St. Patrick's parochial residence yesterday by Rev. John J. McHugh, and a quiet wedding reception followed at the bride's home. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Gertrude M. Connell. Both looked charming in gowns of white Swiss muslin. The bride carried a bouquet of bride roses and the bridesmaid carried pinks. The groom was attended by his cousin, Mr. Joseph Collins. After the ceremony they repaired to the home of the bride, 6 Loring street, where supper was served. Only immediate relatives and friends were present, owing to recent bereavement in the family. Mr. and Mrs. Shea left on the 6.20 o'clock train for Boston on a brief wedding tour, and will be at home to friends after Dec. 1 at 22 Bleachery street. The couple were the recipients of many beautiful and costly gifts.

TRULL—PICKERING.

Mr. William Taylor Trull, local agent of the New York Life insurance company for Middlesex county, and Miss Nellie C. Pickering, daughter of J. W. C. Pickering, both of Tewksbury, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride in Andover street, by Rev. G. H. Martin, D. D., in the presence of many relatives and friends.

Miss Virginia Pickering Harbottle of Brooklyn, N. Y., a niece of the bride, served as flower girl. The bride wore her traveling costume of brown velvet. The rooms were beautifully decorated with autumn foliage, vines and flowers. The gifts were many and very lovely, that of the groom to his bride being a diamond ring set in pink pearls.

Mr. and Mrs. Trull left the city by an afternoon train and after a short tour will reside at the Jesse N. Trull residence in Andover street, North Tewksbury.

WILLIAM O'BRIEN

SAYS THAT HE IS FIRM IN RESIGNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Nov. 12—The Cork branch of the United Irish league recently requested William O'Brien to withdraw his resignation as member of Parliament, but he has refused to do so. He says he wishes to leave his enemies free scope to carry on their opposition to his policy.

Mr. O'Brien is too impulsive. Besides he is in poor health and needs a rest.

AFTER 20 YEARS

ZION GUARD RETURNS TO HIS DESERTED CHILDREN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DANBURY, Ct., Nov. 12—Penitent and seeking forgiveness, Christopher McCormick, who had been looked upon as dead for 20 years, came here this week in the uniform of an officer of a Zion guard, searching for his five children, whom he deserted when they were young.

McCormick was a hat maker here 25 years ago. When his wife died and left him with the children to care for, he ran away. It was reported that he had been killed in the West.

Mrs. Mary L. Ward, engaged in charitable work here, saw that the children were provided with comfortable homes. One secured a college education, another is the wife of a prosperous Waterbury man, and the others are living in Connecticut towns.

McCormick, bearded and gray, called upon Mrs. Ward. "Peace be with you," was his salutation, "I'm come from Zion city to do the bidding of our overseer and seek forgiveness for the wrong I've done you and my children."

He made known his identity and begged Mrs. Ward to tell him where he might find his daughter. He said he met with an accident in a mill in Illinois five years ago, and was prayed over by Dowie's band. For years he labored in Zion City. He met his children here, was forgiven and is on his way back to his overseer to report. He has a wife and child in Zion City.

Convinced by Printed Testimony of the hundreds of the cured, Mrs. Benz of 418 E. 8th street, New York, who was for years a great sufferer from catarrh, procured two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder and it effected an absolute cure in a very short while. One puff through the blower will clear the head and stop headache. Sold by Fall & Carkinshaw.—8.

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AN AWFUL CRASH

Five People Killed in Railroad Accident

By Associated Press to The Sun

ERIE, Pa., Nov. 12.—A terrible accident happened early last night on the Erie Traction company line, which runs between here and Cambridge Springs, in which five persons were instantly killed and several badly injured, two fatally. The accident happened one mile south of McKean or about 11 miles from this city. The dead:

MRS. BARTLETT, Edenboro.

MRS. SHERWOOD, Cambridge Springs.

MR. and MRS. JAMESON McKEAN.

Another woman, name not known.

The fatally injured:

Motorman Anderson.

C. H. Davis, a traveling salesman, Goshen, Ind.

The accident was caused by the brakes on a car of gravel becoming loose and allowing it to run out from the side track on which it had been placed, to the main track, where there was a heavy down-grade. While running at a high rate of speed it met and almost crashed through the passenger car which left Erie shortly after six o'clock, and which was filled with passengers.

STONED THE FLAG

Trenton Italians Objected to National Emblem

By Associated Press to The Sun

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 12.—The residence of Dr. O. Scarlata, Italian consul in this city, was attacked here by a number of Italians and stoned yesterday and the doctor himself was threatened with bodily harm. The occasion of the assault was the displaying in front of the doctor's residence of an Italian flag in commemoration of some Italian national event. The Italians demanded that the flag be taken down and emphasized their demand by throwing stones. A policeman finally took down the flag and the crowd dispersed. Subsequently it was replaced but there was no further trouble.

BAPTIST CONGRESS

HELD SESSION IN PHILADELPHIA YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—The Baptist congress, in session here yesterday, heard the report of the committee appointed yesterday to consider the advisability of calling a national association of the Baptists of America. Rev. Russell H. Conwell, of this city, reported for the committee that they recommended the appointment of a special committee to confer with the national Baptist society, North and South for the purpose of securing a simultaneous meeting of all those bodies in the city of Washington, D. C., in 1904. The committee also reported in favor of so changing the condition of the Baptist congress as to make it more fully represent all the Baptists of America.

"What change, if any, is demanded in the prayer meeting?" was the subject of discussion at yesterday's session.

Papers were read upon the subject by Rev. Curtiss Lee Laws., Baltimore, and Rev. Dr. Herbert E. Wise, Norwich, Conn.

Brief addresses followed.

Last night's session was devoted to a discussion of the question "Does trade unionism imperil liberty?"

Papers were contributed by Prof. H. Heath Bawden, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and Rev. Edward Holyoke, Providence, R. I.

"Trades unionism does imperil liberty," said Rev. Edward Holyoke, "but so does an automobile. The peril from either lies not in the thing but depends on the way it is run. The cure of boycotting is not in the abolition of the union, but in the evolution of the laborer. The escape from this social peril and from every other peril lies by way of the slow, spiral ascent of man to manhood."

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Dennis Murphy, 13 Appleton St.

E. F. Leeds, 5 Bridge St., Lowell.

MAYOR COLLINS

Showed Union Card to Labor Delegates

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12—At the banquet last night of the A. F. of L., everyone present, with the exception of Michael P. Curran, the mayor's private secretary, was a member of some labor organization. Mayor Collins presided and he and his secretary were the only city officials attending.

The mayor exhibited a card of the Woodworkers' union, issued to him many years ago when he worked at the trade.

Over six hundred of the delegates to the convention attended and there were no invited guests. The dinner was prepared by a union cook and served by union waiters.

The only reporters present belonged to the Newspapermen's union. The menu bore the union label and the liquors served came from union shops.

In the speeches no reference was made to political topics. Mayor Collins, President Gompers and John Mitchell were greeted with enthusiasm.

The banquet was tendered the delegates by the city of Boston. During the evening Mayor Collins made a personal gift to the federation, through President Gompers, of a gavel made from a timber used in the construction of the original Faneuil hall.

SMITH DISQUALIFIED

AND CANNOT PLAY WITH U. OF P.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—A. T. Smith, the star fullback of the University of Penna. football team, who played in the game against Harvard last Saturday despite the protest entered by Harvard's captain that he was ineligible, was yesterday disqualified by the faculty at their conference. The following statement was issued by the faculty committee of which Vice-Provost Edgar F. Smith is chairman:

"The faculty on athletics of the University of Penna. at a meeting held today decided on the information received within the previous twenty-four hours that A. T. Smith having played as a representative of state college in two games after the state college-Penna. game, was ineligible to represent Penna. this season and he has therefore been disqualified.

"A note explaining the circumstances has been sent to the colleges against whom Penna. has played this season, expressing the regret of the committee that it had not earlier been informed on what its action is based."

The two games Smith is alleged to have played on the state college after he took out matriculation papers at Penna., were with Yale and Annapolis.

NORTH BILLERICA

The North Billerica Cricket club's annual meeting was held Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Robert Tivey; vice president, H. B. Ellis; secretary, Frank Townson; treasurer, E. J. Garner; management committee, Robert Tivey, Frank Tournson, D. J. Macdonald, J. T. Whitehead, H. B. Ellis, E. J. Garner, Wm. McBride and John Brown; auditing committee, D. J. Macdonald, J. T. Whitehead, Wm. Ballington, trustees, Wm. McBride and John Brown.

The treasurer's report showed the financial standing to be in a most satisfactory condition.

It was decided to have a concert and ball during the winter, all arrangements for the same being left in the hands of the management committee. Outside of the usual business of the meeting the two chief topics of interest were the matter of raising the present rate of dues from 50c to $1 and the advisability of continuing in the Merrimack Valley League. There not being time to discuss these matters thoroughly it was decided to have a special meeting Monday evening, Nov. 16, to take final action on the same.

The date of the concert and ball will be announced as soon as the committee get together. A large attendance is looked for next Monday evening.

The North Billerica council, 1323, R. A., held a special meeting Wednesday evening to take action relative to the death of the late Thomas McClusky.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BURLINGTON, Vt., Nov. 12.—A special to the Free Press from Brandon, says:

"Selectman Edgar Frost committed suicide today by shooting. It is thought that he was temporarily insane.

FLYNN'S BUTTERINE

Yellow; best in Lowell; half the price of butter. What will you give. Flynn's high grade Teas and Coffee; best in Lowell at half the price you are paying. What will you give? I will give you a big bargain that you will be proud of.

FLYNN'S MARKET 137 GORHAM ST.

An Illustrated Alphabet for Spindle City Readers

DON'T WANT THEM

Wigginville Residents are Opposed

TO ERECTION OF MAGAZINES IN SOUTH LOWELL

Protest Made at Last Night's Meeting

The residents of Wigginville are up in arms against the erection of powder magazines in South Lowell.

They held a meeting in the old school house last evening and adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, The United States Cartridge company proposes to build new magazines for the storage of explosives in Billerica, which location is near to the Tewksbury line and near to residences in Tewksbury, and therefore dangerous to residents of the town, both to persons and property, and

Whereas, It is probably intended to transport such explosives over and along the streets of Tewksbury, further endangering the lives and property of its citizens

Therefore, be it resolved by citizens of Tewksbury, assembled in public meeting, that they consider the storage of explosives at or near such point and the transportation of explosives over the streets of the town to be dangerous to lives and property and tending to diminish the value of property and prevent the development of parts of the town, and a nuisance that if possible, should be prevented by the town.

Voted, that petitions be circulated and presented to the selectmen of the town, requesting them to take such action, (by injunction if necessary) as may, if possible, prevent such storage and transportation of explosives."

The meeting was called to order by Selectman Catherwood, who was elected chairman, with Mr. Richardson as secretary. The meeting adjourned, subject to the call of the chair.

TWO KILLED

AS THE RESULT OF AN EXPLOSION OF GAS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RIDGETOWN, Ont., Nov. 12—An explosion of a small gas plant in the Logan house here last night was attended with fatal results. G. W. Atkinson, travelling representative of the London Advertiser, was instantly killed, and R. Webb, a border died of his injuries best night. Five others were dangerously injured. The hotel was completely wrecked.

COUNT CASSINI RETURNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador to this country, who has been in Russia on leave of absence, returned to this city last night.

HARVEY NOMINATED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALTHAM, Mass., Nov. 12—John L. Harvey was nominated for mayor by the republicans last night.

BROKE THE BANKS

AMUSING AND PROFITABLE NIGHT AT MT. VERNON CHURCH.

A most interesting and unique occasion was observed at the Mt. Vernon F. B. church last evening. Different members of the Sunday school had been given banks in which to collect a sum of money to contribute to the church fund. There were also class banks and a friendly rivalry had sprung up between classes, especially between the Star Bible class and Deacon H. R. Nixon's class.

Mr. G. L. Huntoon, the special guest of the evening, was chosen to break the banks. He proved himself a most interesting speaker" and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience gathered in the vestry. The money was counted by the committee and the individual bank containing the largest amount was that of Earnest Peasley of the junior department. The class bank containing the most money was that of Deacon H. R. Nixon's Sunday school class. The bank held $65.51. The Star Bible class bank contained $8.10. The sum total was $94.24. The guest of the evening made the sum an even $100. The special guests of the evening were Mrs. Grace Millin Ryder and husband of Providence, R. I. After the money was counted the committee in charge served a collation in the class room. The committee consisted of Deacon Nixon's class, Mr. Clayton R. Kimball, chairman, and Miss Alice Pendexler with Mr. Roy Gunter, Miss Susie Buchanan and Miss E. Laura Moore of the Star Bible class.

Next Sunday banks will be given out to be opened at the end of the next quarter.

JOE CHERRY WON

IN BOUT WITH TOMMY FELTZ AT DETROIT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DETROIT, Nov. 12—Joe Cherry of Saginaw, Mich., by getting the decision over Tommy Feltz of Brooklyn, N. Y., earned the right to face Frank Nell, champion bantam weight pugilist of the world. The referee's decision pleased the big crowd, but Feltz declared it rank robbery.

TALK ON CHINA

AT MEETING OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church held a very well attended meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George H. Taylor in Twelfth street. Mrs. H. L. Tibbetts, the president, conducted a brief devotional service, after which Miss Ida Goucher took charge and made the meeting very interesting by a personally conducted trip, and by having several ladies present impersonate different missionaries. The subject was "China, the self-centred Empire." Mrs. F. A. Bowen sang a solo, "In Far Cathay," and Mrs. Theodore Gardner presented current events. At the close of the program Mrs. Taylor, assisted by Mrs. W. H. Peplin, Miss Adelaide E. Noyes and Miss Emily Simpson, served very dainty refreshments.

COMPANY ORGANIZED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BATH, Me., Nov. 12—The syndicate of Bath and Popham capitalists who several days ago acquired the Bath & Popham division of the Eastern Steamship company, organized yesterday with a capital of $20,000 as the Popham Beach Steamboat company.

BROKE HIS NECK

SUPPOSED TO HAVE FALLEN OVER RAILING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Nov. 12—Arthur C. Stone, 48, was found with his neck broken in the hallway of an apartment building on Irving street, where he had rooms, last night. He is supposed to have fallen over the railing from the floor above.

AGAINST BOXING

MEMBERS OF THREE CLUBS SUMMONED INTO COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Nov. 12—Twelve men, members of the three boxing clubs in this city, have been summoned into court Friday on the charge of promoting public boxing exhibitions.

BET ON GARDNER

Lowell Boy's Advice to John Stack

GEORGE IS CONFIDENT HE WILL WIN

He Will Invest Money in Lowell

George Gardner has written to his brother-in-law, John J. Stack, advising him to place all the money he can on him (Gardner) at the prevailing odds in his bout with Fitzsimmons. He says that he is convinced that he will defeat Fitz, providing he gets a fair shake in the matter of referee.

In his letter George says that he weighs 170 pounds and is in perfect condition. He is training at H. Metzner's training quarters at Larkspur, Cal.

"I see no reason why I can't win with an even break," he writes. "The only thing I have to fear is the referee. So far as Fitz is concerned I think that I will give him all that is coming to him. I believe that on the day of the fight the betting will be about 10 to 8 on Fitz, but that is not worrying me at all. I will step into the ring, confident and fit to put up the battle of my life. If Fitz wins it will be only after he has given me a severe beating as I will never give up. If I do not miss my mark Bob is the one who will have to take the beating though."

In his letter George requests that his brother Billy do no more fighting until he gets home. Then he proposes to set up Billy in business.

George will leave for home immediately after the fight with Fitz and he proposes to secure an interest in the hotel business. He also asks Mr. Stack to have an eye out for some property for him as he is desirous of investing his money in Lowell. He figures on getting about $15,000 out of the Fitz fight. He will also have an interest in the pictures that will be taken and will be shown throughout the country.

THE WAY OF HAPPINESS.

I have no money to speak of—never had; I have had to work hard, and yet have had a very happy life; and I will venture to say that I now get more pleasure out of the little wages which my readers of The Interior pay me for writing them than any rich man in the city gets out of his tens of thousands or millions. It is not in the way of sociability, though. There is none of the genuine article there—no time for it. I would as soon sit down on a pile of skulls and have a sociable time with the osseous remains of the dead as to expect it in Chicago. A happy life is to be had by making rational enjoyment one of the objects of life. And that is not in money-getting. It is not in fashion or display. It is in trying to make one's self and others happy.

I go fishing and camping and strolling, and do not care a continental either for wealth, or for wealthy people because they are wealthy. I wear loose and comfortable clothes, take plenty of exercise, refuse to let my mind dwell on unpleasant things, never worry about lost opportunities or money losses, keep out of the way of cranks and quarrelsome people, and try to see the bright or the humorous side of things, cultivate love for my kindred, and crack my little chestnut of a joke. I never read any of the crimes or scandal columns of the dailies, choose cheerful books and get out of the way of whiners and growlers and scandalmongers. One can have a happy life, happy as the day is long, by making happiness one of the main purposes of living. The foundation of this is good health, and everybody can have good health by starting out in time for it. It is to be had by the moderate eating of simple and wholesome food, which soon becomes a luxury to the palate; a clean skin, outdoor exercise every day, without regard to the weather, except in the way of warm and dry clothing; keeping the mind cheerful; keeping the heart kindly; avoiding anxiety and longing about business affairs; contentment with one's lot.—William C. Gray, in "Musings by Campfire and Wayside."

ADAMS

ONE SQUARE TABLE

In the display of dining tables there is one design that we have marked at a price of $10.00, and by reason of its being superior in many ways to the others about the same price we think if you want a medium priced extension table it will meet all requirements.

Adams & Co.,

Furniture and Carpets.

174 CENTRAL STREET

Appleton Bank Block.

CRICKET NOTES.

The U. S. Bunting foot ball club will meet the Andover foot ball team on the grounds at Wigginville Saturday when a good game is sure to result.

The Andovers have not been defeated this season and the Buntings intend to do the trick on Saturday.

The following will be the Bunting lineup: Goal, R. Blackwhistle, capt.; backs, Ted Nelson and J. Marriott; half backs, M. Casey, W. Concannon and T. Gallagher; forwards, right wing, J. Halligan, E. Nelson; centre, G. Allen; left wing, W. Cotton and H. Flynn. Reserves, D. Allen and T. Guerdon. Linesman, William Nelson. Kickoff at 2.45 p. m.

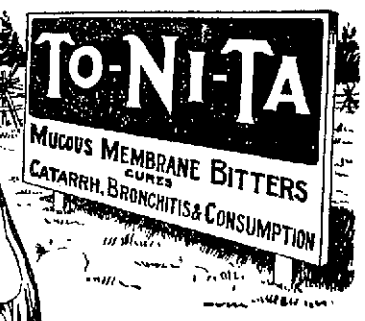
At the meeting of the executive board of the Buntings on Monday night it was decided not to hold a banquet this year. A social will be held in the clubhouse on Saturday night, Nov. 21, when the prizes for the best batting and bowling averages will be awarded.

EDUCATIONAL CLUB.

The Educational club held a session Tuesday afternoon. Current events were considered, including facts about Radium and the Panama question, and Mrs. E. J. Clark read several very interesting letters from Mrs. Arthur Dow, who, with her husband, is travelling in Japan. Plans were perfected for an entertainment and sale, to be given by the club at 228 Worthen street on December 17 and 18, for the benefit of the Faith Home for children. The wedding was announced of Mr. Leroy C. Horton and Miss Gertrude Mae Wilcox, the latter a former well known music teacher of Lowell, both of Brooklyn, N. Y.

HEALTH GIVEN AWAY FREE SATURDAY

TO-NI-TA has met with such wonderful success that Dr. Lorentz, the discoverer, is anxious that every one shall have an opportunity to test its wonderful curative powers, and has made special arrangements by which everyone in Lowell and surrounding country may get a free sample bottle of TO-NI-TA and a copy of his medical book, "A Beautiful Story of Life." Free Saturday.



HOW TO GET TO-NI-TA FREE

Write your name and address on a card or piece of paper, mention having seen this liberal offer in The Sun, present the card Saturday, November 14, between 9 a.m. and 9 p.m. at The Sun office, Merrimack Square, and you will receive a sample bottle of To-ni-ta and a copy of "The Beautiful Story of Life," free of charge.

If you are sick and run-down, or if any of your family is sick, come early and get a sample bottle of TO-NI-TA and see how quickly you will feel the benefit.

PITTSBURG LADY CURED

Miss Lillian McMahon says: "TO-NI-TA cured me of Catarrh."

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 13, 1903.

Dear Doctor: For the past six years I have suffered from Catarrh of the Head and Bronchial Tubes; caught cold with every change of the weather and suffered from intense headaches. Was under treatment six months in the year, but with no permanent cure.

A friend asked me to try TO-NI-TA, and after taking half of the first bottle I felt better than I had for several years. I have now finished my second bottle and feel perfectly well and all trace of Catarrh is gone.

LILLIAN McMAHON,
Hotel Duquesne.

YOUR DOCTOR KNOWS TO-NI-TA

Every doctor in Lowell has had a copy of the formula of To-ni-ta and knows it is a scientific combination of the vital principles of the most powerful healing herbs known to medicine. Your doctor will tell you it is free from opiates and will cure any case of Catarrh of the head, throat, lungs, stomach, kidneys, bladder or female organs. It is a strong tonic, stimulant and bitters.

To-ni-ta acts directly on the mucous membrane, it kills the disease germs and restores the tissues to a normal, healthy condition; it purifies and stimulates the blood and causes it to course more quickly through the veins; it quiets the nerves; brings restful sleep and brings new life to every part of the human body.

Get a Free Sample Bottle Saturday

If you do not get a sample bottle and booklet Saturday, write the Lorentz Medical Co., Flat Iron Building, New York, for a copy of Dr. Lorentz's medical treatise, "The Beautiful Story of Life," and free advice.

To-ni-ta at druggists, or direct, $1.00 a bottle. Ask your druggist for it. Take no substitute.

Lowell trade supplied by Boston jobbers.

$23,000 A WEEK

Will be Lost by Mill Operatives

WHAT CUT DOWN IN FALL RIVER MEANS

President Golden Surprised at Action

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Nov. 12.—John Golden, president of the United Textile Workers of America, expressed himself yesterday as surprised at the announcement of the new schedule. He said he had heard many rumors recently but had not believed that the manufacturers would really cut the wages of the operatives. He had thought that the manufacturers had long since learned that such a procedure would be futile and the result far from satisfactory. He added:

"I believe a reduction in wages always reacts unfavorably upon the manufacturers. It is hard to tell what their help will do. The operatives have struggled along after having endured hardships and privations necessitated by the curtailment made in different mills, and if a cut down is forced upon them now, it may serve to embitter them and call forth strenuous action."

Mr. Golden said he appreciated the condition of the cotton market, but he could not see how the cutting of wages would help matters, as it would have a tendency to cut the price of cloth and not to strengthen the market. With prices down and the market dull, manufacturers would be in always identically the same position that they now occupy and so might argue that a further reduction would be the only relief for the new situation. He said he had not been formally notified of the action of the mill agents, but that a meeting of the emergency committee and also the textile council would be held soon. There will hardly be time for the usual formalities on the part of the operatives before the new wage schedule goes into effect. When matters of this sort come up the textile council meets and the members suggest that action be taken by the individual unions. After the unions have met and taken action the textile council reconvenes and carries out the wishes of the majority as expressed by a vote of the different unions. In this instance it is likely that special meetings will be held and even then it is doubtful if definite action by the operatives can be reached before November 23 at which time the new schedule will become operative.

It is estimated that the reduction in wages will cost the operatives in this city something over $23,000 weekly. This amount covers the loss to operatives in all the cloth mills, including the Tree Works, but does not include the Globe Yarn, Kerr Thread and Sanford Spinning Co. mills.

NEW BEDFORD NEXT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Nov. 12.—No notices of reduction of wages in the local cotton mills were posted today, but there is a feeling that it will come soon, as New Bedford usually follows Fall River's lead, and during this week, two sessions of association of mill treasurers having been held this week. The secretary says no action has been taken on the wage question. Business here is known to be very bad, and all indications point to a reduction.

HAS CATALEPSY

FALL RIVER MAN LOSES ALL SENSE OF PAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Nov. 12.—Thomas E. Read, a veteran of the Spanish war, is at the city hospital, afflicted with catalepsy, one of the strangest diseases known to medical science. It is purely nervous in its character, and its effects are such that during the attacks to which Read is subject, he is lifeless as a wax doll. At these times he is entirely unconscious and his muscles are rigid. If an arm be extended, or his head raised from the bed, he remains in that position during the "spell," whether it be for minutes or for hours. Read is not only unconscious of effort, but there is no feeling of fatigue when he has recovered consciousness. While in a cataleptic state, he is practically dead. There is an entire local anaesthesia and pin pricks or other local irritations produce no effect upon him. Not one of the similar cases known to medical science have proved fatal, and Read appears to feel no ill effects from the recurrence of the attacks.

The sick man was sunstruck in the Philippines, recovered and went to China. He took part in the siege of Pien Tsin, and with the column advanced to Pekin. He saw the Japanese contingent blow up the gate of the Holy City and a few hours later was again sent to the hospital, suffering with a bullet wound in the thigh. After the Chinese expedition he was discharged and sent to the United States. His home is in this city. Recently he fell in the street, and was taken to the hospital, where he was unconscious for 14 hours.

SALE AND SUPPER.

A well attended sale and supper under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Immanuel Baptist church was held at the home of Mrs. Gillespie, 121 London street, last night. About 200 were present, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. During the evening various games were played, and vocal and instrumental solos were rendered. About $30 was realized.

LEAVES LOWELL

Thomas M. Bolton Goes to Arizona

AND WILL LOCATE THERE PERMANENTLY

Tendered Reception by the Knights of Columbus

Thomas M. Bolton, for many years a resident of Lowell, and for the past 20 years conducting a profitable harness business on Market street, leaves today for Phoenix, Arizona, where he intends to locate permanently.

For some years past Mr. Bolton has been a sufferer with asthma and while on a trip for his health to Arizona last year, not only found complete relief in that climate, but also received a flattering business offer.

He has been long considering the proposition of going west, finding it particularly hard to break the many ties of friendship grown firmer as the years have rolled by. But finally he decided to go and will be accompanied by his wife and his son, Thomas, the latter a student at the Pape School of Art in Boston, while his daughter will remain in this city.

Last evening Mr. Bolton was tendered a farewell reception by the Knights of Columbus, of which organization he is a prominent member, and a large gathering of Knights were present to wish him success in his new field of labor.

In the early part of the evening Mr. Bolton was introduced by Mr. Robert Thomas, the presiding officer, and he made a neat speech, expressing with deep feeling his regret at leaving the city and his fellow members. At the conclusion of his remarks Mr. Thomas in behalf of the members, presented Mr. Bolton with a large purse of gold. Then followed songs by the Mozart quartette, solos by James Donnelly and Daniel J. Donahue, while entertaining phonograph solos were also given. Refreshments were served in the outer hall.

Thomas M. Bolton was born in Ireland 52 years ago and came to this city 38 years ago. Four years after arriving in the Spindle City he started in the harness business at the same spot in Market street, where he was not long ago when he retired and sold out his stock.

During these 30 years he conducted a very profitable trade and was one of the oldest harness makers in Lowell.

Cricketers' ball Prescott hall, Friday evening.

ANNUAL SALE

By Ladies of the Eliot Church

The annual autumn sale under the auspices of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the Eliot church opened in the vestry of the church last evening. The chief attraction was the song recital by Madame Caroline Gardiner Clarke, soprano vocalist of Boston.

The festivities opened shortly after 6 o'clock and for an hour and a half a turkey supper was served in the dining hall under the direction of Mrs. A. F. Nichols, assisted by Mrs. Harry Parker and the members of the King's Daughters, Lowell, all of whom were gowned in white. Following the supper a social hour was enjoyed, during which time the various tables in the vestry were liberally patronized. At 8 o'clock the recital was given under the direction of Mrs. J. W. Sherburne.

Mrs. Clarke's first selection was "The Slave," by Rubinstein. The others rendered were as follows:

"My mother Bids Me Bind My Hair," Beecher; "Ecstacy, Because of Thee," Jones; "Spring Song," MacKenzie; "On the Way to Kew," Foote; "Winds in the Trees," Thomas; "The Years of the Spring," Beach.

The vestry of the church was tastefully decorated for the occasion and presented a very unique appearance. The tables about the vestry are prettily arranged and last evening each of them transacted a thriving business.

The candy table is in charge of Mrs. Charles S. Proctor, assisted by Misses Ruth Pease, Ruth Eaton, Clara Mitchell and Bessie Kimball.

The apron table is in charge of Mrs. John Graham, who is aided by the services of Mrs. Frank Coburn, Mrs. Geo. S. Holden, Misses Maud Smith, Mae Waite and Alice Pevey.

The general management of the function is in the hands of Mrs. C. M. Childs, assisted by Mrs. E. W. Pease and Mrs. A. F. Nichols.

MINOR LICENSES

GRANTED AT REGULAR MEETING OF POLICE BOARD.

The following licenses were granted at the regular meeting of the police board Tuesday evening:

Hawker and peddler—H. E. Hunter, Tyngsboro; R. M. Hills, Windham, N. H.

Night lunch wagon—Fred J. Burns, Paige and Bridge streets.

Common victuallers—Mary Caveney, 152 Market street; Thomas Harrington, 102 Lakeview avenue; Milo Ingalls, 602 Merrimack street; Rose Medora, 691 Middlesex street; Clara Forlin, 22 Liberty square.

TRADE MARK DICKSON'S TEA STORE REGISTERED SUN

DOUBLE STAMPS

BLUE

All This Week

80 with a pound of Baking Powder.
40 with a pound of Tea.
20 with a pound of Coffee.

This is double the quantity usually given. Double stamps on Crockery, Glass, and China-ware.

Dickson's Tea Store

68 Merrimack Street

GOULD'S PLAN

For a New Tidewater Line

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Official outline of George J. Gould's plan for building a new tidewater line from St. Louis to New Orleans was made public yesterday in an application to list $12,242,000 St. Louis, iron mountain and Southern lines, Gulf division, first mortgage four per cent., thirty years' bonds, which represent that portion of the authorized $50,000,000 which have been sold. Mr. Gould recently estimated the total cost of these improvements at between $40,000,000 and $50,000,000.

The purposes for which the bonds were used are stated in detail in the application to list and are partly as follows:

Provision is made for the immediate issue of $7,200,000 par value, of bonds as applicable in the acquisition of all the railroad property and franchises formerly belonging to the St. Louis Valley Railway. One million dollars are reserved to be certified from time to time for the acquisition of an equivalent amount of the first mortgage bonds of the Union Railway company, a corporation of the state of Tennessee; $148,000 par value, of this reservation of bonds are immediately issuable as applicable to the bonds of the Union Railway company, deposited with the Mercantile Trust company at the time of the execution of the mortgage, $15,700,000 of the bonds are reserved to provide for the cost of the acquisition and the completion and extension of the lines of railroad formerly belonging to the White River Railway company, the Memphis, Helena and Louisiana Railway company, and the Memphis, Helena and Louisiana Railroad company; $2,175,000 are reserved to provide for the cost of double tracking the line extending from East St. Louis to Thebe; $2,500,000 are reserved to provide for additional terminal and for properties, facilities and equipment at St. Louis, East St. Louis and Thebe; $4,500,000 are reserved for the construction or acquisition of second track, shops, depots, terminals properties, rolling stock and other additional property; $5,675,000 are to provide for the acquisition of lines of railroad connecting the lines of railroad formerly owned by the St. Louis Valley Railway, the Memphis, Helena and Louisiana Railway company and the White River Railway company, the remaining $11,250,000 are to provide for the actual cost of lines of railroad constituting extensions or branches connecting with the railroad of the railway company subject to the lien of the mortgage.

Although only $12,242,156 of these bonds have been actually issued and sold, $20,000,000 have been underwritten.

IRISH REPRESENTATIVES

CAME HERE TO BOOM AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—R. A. Anderson, secretary, and the Rev. J. O'Donovan, provisional representative of the Irish Agricultural organization society, arrived yesterday on the steamship Oceanic.

They have come at the invitation of the Irish Industrial league of America, for the purpose of stimulating interest among the Irish in this country in the work of this society.

Secretary Anderson said that his industrial society was made up of 800 associations, which were conducted on a co-operative and self-help basis. It has a membership of 85,000 and does an annual business in agricultural and other industrial products of $10,000,000. Sir Robert Plunkitt, Lord Montengle and himself, Mr. Anderson said, started the society thirteen years ago. The organization is non-political and non-religious. It is intended by the two gentlemen to hold mass meetings in this and other large cities in America.

FOR BRIBERY

EX-SENATOR HOLBROOK PLACED ON TRIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LANSING, Mich., Nov. 12—A jury was secured late yesterday for the trial of ex-State Senator John Holbrook, charged with bribery in connection with the acquittal of Col. Eli R. Sutton, formerly member of the state military board and ex-regent of the state university, who was charged with being implicated in a $50,000 fraud practice on the state of Michigan in connection with supplies for the state troops during the Cuban war. Holbrook is charged with offering Arthur H. Phillips, one of the jury who sat on the case, $500 if he would vote for an acquittal. Sutton had come here from New York to testify in the case.

CHAMBERLAIN'S POLICY

DEBATED BY LONDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Nov. 12—The London chamber of commerce last night debated Joseph Chamberlain's fiscal program. Prof. W. J. Ashley, the dean of the faculty of commerce of the university of Birmingham, who opened the debate, declared that if Chamberlain's policy is adopted Canada is certainly to either become independent or to be annexed to the United States. American emigration to the Northwest territory, he declared, was accelerating this tendency and the drift of Australia towards separation from the mother country was equally clear.

The debate brought out strongly the divergence of the views held by the members of the chamber.

No resolutions on the subject were adopted, however.

FINANCIAL STRESS

BRYAN HELPED OUT HIS DAUGHTER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 12—Mr. and Mrs. Leavitt, who were recently married in Lincoln, are reported to be in financial stress here. William J. Bryan, the bride's father, has sent her money.

CROKER A LIFE MEMBER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—At a meeting of the governors of the Democratic club held last night, Richard Croker was unanimously elected a life honorary member of the club. This honor is shared only by former President Cleveland.

BOUGHT LIQUOR REVENUE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANUAGUA, Nicaragua, Nov. 12—A foreign syndicate has bought the national liquor revenue for $1,500,000 yearly.

WHY?

Why is it that no merchant can build up a large and successful business nowadays without advertising in the newspapers? Because people look to the newspapers for the announcements of the merchants. The dealer who does not make announcements to the people through the daily papers is soon forgotten by the buying public and quickly left behind in the race for business.

Talk to the people through the columns of The Sun and they will hear you in mind when they need anything in your line.

The Sun having the largest circulation in Lowell is therefore the cheapest and most effective advertising medium in the city. It is unquestionably

LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER.

POLO NOTES

A couple of towns in Bill Parsons' league will have Sunday polo and roller skating.

Klobedanz goes west today to referee. We pity the western league that he gets located in.

A fine likeness of "Old Man" Roberts, who will captain the Elwood team, appeared in the Muncie Star of Tuesday.

The lineups in a few of the teams in the eastern league will look sick when the players desert it for the western leagues.

Stoneham, of the American Roller Polo league, has a fine rink and draws the best people in the town to its games.

"Pop" Holderness, who played halfback on the Lowell team for two seasons, left Boston for the west today. He was accompanied by his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene F. Hart, who were married yesterday.

"Smooth Willie" landed a couple of the best towns in his Illinois league for himself. Parsons always has the faculty of looking out for No. 1.—Lawrence American. You wouldn't expect him to take the worst, would you?—Herald.

The Lawrence Telegram says that the American league will put all "jumpers" under the ban. There will not be much need of putting them under the "ban," for if they lose in one league in the west they have several other leagues to try for, and the three western leagues are looking for general utility men.

Referee Tommy Connolly is making his job look good by commending the article of polo in the American league. It may be first-class amateur polo, and doubtless is, but it is far from the article the stars put up who are now in the west.—Brockton Enterprise.

Terre Haute of the Central polo league played its first game on Monday night with Danville and defeated the latter team by a score of 5 to 3. George Harper, the well-known local player, is tending goal for the winning team. Harper had 28 chances in the game and lost but three. Among the other players on the Terre Haute team is Eddie Hipson, who is captain. Freeman, the amateur whom Kittredge brought out last season, "Izzey" Whipple, who has played with Lawrence and Chelsea, Pete Wood of the Worcester team. In the Danville lineup are Spencer, Pink Turner, Spot Hadley, Paddy Moran and Sutherland.

A despatch from Anderson, Ind., says:

Norton and Fisher, the polo men, may have trouble with the Musicians' union because of placing a great orchestrion in their rink building. As Elwood is also to have a similar instrument the musicians do not relish the idea, and there is some talk of appealing to their national organization for a ruling. It is generally believed, however, that rink owners desiring to adopt machines for use can do so, and the matter is not within the jurisdiction of the unions.

The advance sale of season tickets to the game will be had this week in all the cities of the Western league. From present indications over half the capacity of each rink will be sold before the first game is played if not the full capacity in several of the towns.

The floor of the new Marion rink is ready for the players, and Fox and his men will practice daily until the season's opening.

PICKERING ESTATE.

The Pickering estate in Andover street has been purchased by George C. Dempsey. It is stated that Mr. Dempsey will move into his new residence at once. The amount of the purchase money is given as $35,000.

There is Much Antique Furniture

Scattered about New England made in the good old colonial days, that after the lapse of over 100 years, needs repairing. We are experts in finishing and high-grade upholstering, and if you desire will call with full line of samples for upholstering any of your furniture, modern or antique.

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CONCORD'S GAME

Stewart and Gray Teams Tied Again

CHELSEA ADMITTED TO BASKET BALL LEAGUE

Fred Lake Awarded the Franchise

Concord defeated Nashua 23 to 11 in Nashua last night by superior basketball. The Nashuans could tackle and pass with the same facility and Horne threw fine baskets but Concord threw much better and won out handily.

The lineup:

CONCORD.	NASHUA.
Sykes lf	rb Keliher
Stewart rf	lb Bruce
Kane c	c Doyle
Tighe lb	rf Horne
Herron rf	lf McCarthy (McFarland)

Score, Concord 23, Nashua 11. Goals from floor, Stewart, Sykes 4, Tighe 4, Herron, Horne 2, McFarland. Fouls, Stewart 9, Sykes, Kane, Tighe 5, Horne 3, McCarthy, McFarland, Doyle, Keliher. Referee, Tierney. Timers, McPherson and Featherstone. Attendance, 600.

LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	5	1	.833
Lowell	4	2	.666
Concord	4	2	.666
Nashua	1	5	.166
Haverhill	1	5	.166

CHELSEA ADMITTED

LAKE WILL HAVE THE FRANCHISE.

The New England basketball league met at the Tremont house, Nashua, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and adjourned until the evening, when it was voted to admit Chelsea as the sixth member of the league under a franchise held by Fred Lake.

It was voted to give visiting teams 25 per cent. of the net receipts. This rule is to hold until Thanksgiving day, to see how it operates and if satisfactory it will be adopted permanently.

Every city in the league was represented and the matters of interest were discussed fully.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

Nashua tonight.

George Lynch of Maynard has signed with Haverhill.

When Lowell and Manchester meet again the fur will fly.

Charlie Conners is all right in Concord. His work Tuesday night made a hit.

Bill Keliher says that it's up to Nashua to stop the Lowell's winning career.

Bill Keliher has several good players in view for Nashua's basketball team. He will make an effort extraordinary for the Pitcher brothers and Christy Chase.

McCarthy of Fitchburg has signed with Nashua.

The game tonight will be the last home game this week. There should be a large crowd on hand to see the contest.

Jack Titus turned down the offer of the Concord basketball management because he does not care to engage in basketball this winter. Jack is thoroughly satisfied with his position on the Philadelphia nationals, and will be with that aggregation next season.

TWO DIAMOND RINGS

STOLEN BY CLEVER SNEAK THIEF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROOKLINE, Mass., Nov. 12.—Representing himself as an employe of a telephone company, an unknown man was enabled yesterday to gain admission to the residence of Mrs. George W. Gilbert, on Dempster Road and depart with two diamond rings which are said to be worth $1000.

Once inside the house the man disconnected the wires so that no calls could be rung and no alarm was given. No arrest has been made, but the police have a good description of the thief.

DAVIS MEMORIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 12—The presentation and acceptance of the design of a memorial to President Jefferson Davis by the sculptor, Edward W. Valentine, of Richmond, was the chief feature of the annual convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy here yesterday. It is to be erected at Richmond at a cost of $70,000.

It will consist of a stone semi-circular colonnade with 13 columns, facing which will be a bronze statue of Mr. Davis and within the colonnade a granite column 50 feet high surmounting an allegorical bronze statue of a woman.

HOSPITAL GUILD.

The Young Women's Hospital Guild met yesterday afternoon at the council room of the Women's club. It was the first meeting since the vacation season and the attendance was large. Dr. C. H. Stowell of the trustees, talked about the hospital's need of better equipment in the line of surgical tables, surgical instruments, etc. The doctor said he thought the various things needed at the hospital would cost about $950. The guild has this amount, and more, in its treasury and it was voted to appropriate $950 for the purchase of articles mentioned by Dr. Stowell.

$50,000 GIFT FOR GOMEZ.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVANA, Nov. 12—In the senate and house of representatives yesterday a gift of $50,000 was unanimously voted to Gen. Maximo Gomez in recognition of his services as head of the army.

ADVERSE DECISION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Nov. 12—A decision adverse to the defendants in the famous anti-boycott suit brought by D. E. Loewe & Co., hat makers of Danbury, against certain labor unions, was given by Judge Thayer on the demurrer of the plaintiff.

DIAMONDS LOST

Woman Hid Them in Stocking

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—The long established reputation of a woman's stocking as a safe hiding place for the money and jewelry of the wearer has been blasted.

Mrs. Frances Sterling, who lives at the Powhattan apartment house, 317 West Thirty-fourth street says she lost $35,700 worth of diamonds and $300 in cash from her stocking yesterday, and she is under the care of a physician and two nurses, awaiting anxiously the arrival of some honest person who is willing to exchange $35,700 worth of jewels for a cash reward of $1000.

Mrs. Sterling is an English widow of eight years' standing. She has been travelling extensively, accompanied by a companion, Mrs. J. De Forest Frankel, who says that she is a niece of Henry F. Gillig, a prominent clubman of this city, who at one time was president of the American Exchange in London. Of ample fortune, Mrs. Sterling has made a fad of collecting jewels.

These she carried with her in a jewel box, six inches long, four inches wide, and three inches high. It was her custom when travelling to place this box in her dainty silk stocking. Mrs. Frankel says she often warned her of the danger of entrusting the jewel box to such a fragile repository.

Mrs. Sterling returned from Washington yesterday morning. Before leaving the sleeper she thrust the jewel box into her right stocking, which she is sure was wholly intact at the time. When she reached her apartment she found that the jewel box had worked a hole in the stocking and dropped through.

Immediately Mrs. Sterling discovered her loss she collapsed. Upon recovery she went over the ground she had traversed, made fruitless inquiries at the "L" lost property office and the Pennsylvania railroad stations, and then made the offer of $1000 reward.

SHOT HIMSELF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLINTON, Mass., Nov. 12—Henry B. Wood, 41, caretaker of the Henry C. Crocker estate, committed suicide by shooting last night.

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SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.43	8.50	6.00	7.04
6.24	7.40	6.30	7.26
a6.39	7.30	7.55	8.55
a6.42	7.58	8.25	9.01
a7.01	9.02	e9.00	9.57
e8.24	9.10	e10.00	10.37
a7.31	8.50	a10.17	11.34
7.45	8.55	e11.30	12.07
8.50	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.40	10.40	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	2.00	3.01
a11.45	12.25	e3.00	3.37
e12.14	1.00	a3.47	5.00
1.40	2.50	4.14	5.30
e1.56	2.30	e5.00	5.37
a2.03	4.20	5.38	6.25
e*3.47	4.30	a5.47	6.54
4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
a5.22	6.15	e7.30	8.08
a5.44	7.00	e8.30	9.08
e6.23	7.05	10.30	11.34
a7.29	8.10	11.30	12.22

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
a8.33	7.30	9.00	10.00
a7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.45	5.00	5.59
a8.20	10.15	e7.30	8.08
a4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
e5.53	7.00	8.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
12.50	12.00	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.36	4.55
2.30	3.35	4.50	5.50
3.10	4.10	6.01	7.05
5.55	6.04	6.35	7.48
5.00	6.48	9.35	10.40
6.15	7.15	b11.15	12.15
7.00	8.06		
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.24	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.27
5.30	6.55		
8.00	9.05		

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LOCAL NEWS

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CHELMSFORD

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Central Congregational church of Chelmsford Centre opened their annual fair yesterday with great success. The vestry in which the fair is held, was beautifully decorated by Miss Minnie Hardy.

From 5.30 to 7 o'clock the supper room was the scene of great business.

The various tables with distinctive colors and the committees, the first named being chairman, were as follows:

Fancy table No. 1, pink and green, Mrs. J. A. Bartlett, Mrs. Edward J. Robbins, Mrs. Paul Dutton, Miss Margaret Ashworth.

Fancy table No. 2, pink and green, Mrs. Samuel Hagerman, Miss Mira Hubbard, Miss Emma Hubbard, Miss Minnie Hardy, Miss Katherine Kilbourne, Miss Velma Hildreth.

Household table, Mrs. E. R. Clark, Mrs. E. R. Marshall, Mrs. H. B. Knowlton, Miss Carrie E. Elliott, Mrs. Edwin C. Perham, Mrs. Pliny C. Bliss, Mrs. Geo. W. Day, Mrs. Eben T. Adams, Mrs. Edward B. Emerson.

Candy table, green and white, Miss Lillian Kilbourne, Mrs. E. C. Bartlett, Miss Alice Poore, Miss Mary Poore, Miss Eva Perham, Miss Agnes Eaton, Miss Ethel Hagerman, Mrs. E. E. Staples, Miss Grace Chapin, Miss Bertha Bartlett, Miss Ena MacNutt.

Apron and handkerchief table, pink and green, Mrs. Geo. H. Wilson, Miss Kate Dupee, Mrs. Albion Kittredge, Miss Mary Poore.

Grab bag, Miss Carrie Knowlton, Miss Susie Blanchard, Miss Edith Bliss, Miss Margaret Poore.

Supper committee, Mrs. Sarah Blanchard, Mrs. Wm. R. Fowle, Jr., Mrs. J. C. Osterhout, Mrs. Elizabeth Nickles.

Ice cream, Wm. R. Fowle, Richard Boyd, Sidney Dupee, Harlan Knowlton.

The entertainment of the evening was the bright, one-act comedy, "Wilfred Burton, Artist." It was finely acted by Mr. G. Edward Reed, Mr. Robert F. Marden, Miss Alice L. Livingstone, Miss Bertha M. Abbott, Miss Bessie L. Adams.

This evening the entertainment will consist of a musical by Lowell friends.

Go to Cricketers' ball, Friday evening.

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Tuesday, Nov. 17, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock

TRUSTEES' SALE OF A FINE RESIDENCE; THREE-STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 7040 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NO. 37 ELEVENTH STREET, CENTRALVILLE.

We have pledged Mr. Keyes to be sold by absolute auction sale, regardless of any condition of the weather, this three-story, slate-roofed dwelling, and about 7040 square feet of land, situated in the most aristocratic part of Centralville, with high elevation, perfect surroundings, convenient and healthful.

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The lot contains about 7040 square feet of land with a frontage on Eleventh street of about 66 feet. It is well graded and has a good large garden in the rear, with concrete walks, ten or twelve fine apple and pear trees, also a grape vine. For convenience it is modern, for location it is a most desirable one; for sanitary purposes you could not choose a better spot, and it will positively be sold to the highest bidder on the day and time stated above.

TERMS: $350 must be deposited with the auctioneer at time and place of sale; other terms will be made known at sale.

By order of the Trustees of the Central Methodist Church.

Thursday, Nov. 19, 1903, at 3.00 o'clock

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE OF A COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 1600 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NO. 24 WEST STREET, CENTRALVILLE.

As administrator of the above estate, and in order to settle its affairs, I will offer to the public, by auction sale, this cottage house and about 1600 square feet of land, nicely situated on the westerly side of West street, but a few steps from Lakeview avenue or electric car service. The house contains six rooms, pantry; it has gas lighting, a fine cellar, the floor of which is bricked; the walls are all whitewashed; the chambers are large, comfortable and airy, and for the one who has little money to invest in a home, this is a good opportunity of purchasing.

The lot is all fenced in, and contains 1600 square feet, with a frontage on West street of 40 feet. Now this is up at absolute sale, and the last bidder shall own the property.

Terms: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off.

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CONTESTED AND UN-CONTESTED CASES

Long List of Jury Waived Cases

A two weeks' session of the superior court for the trying of jury waived cases, equity and divorce cases, will open at the local court house on Monday morning, Chief Justice Mason presiding. The list of cases is as follows:

UNCONTESTED DIVORCE CASES.

Taylor vs. Taylor, Burke & Corbett.
Fenton vs. Fenton, McIntyre & Wilson.
Marshall vs. Marshall, F. C. Wright.
Fortier vs. Fortier, F. P. Rivet.
Thompson vs. Thompson, J. J. Pickman.
Welch vs. Welch, G. T. Bickford.
Davis vs. Davis, D. J. Donahue.
Hooper vs. Hooper, McIntyre & Wilson.
Severance vs. Severance, F. C. Wright.
Anderson, petitioner for nullity, vs. Johnson, alias; Wright and Keezer, Lord vs. Lord, R. E. Jeffery.
Sheehan vs. Sheehan, J. J. and W. A. Hogan.
Magee vs. Magee, F. C. Wright.
Page vs. Page, A. S. Apsey.
Berger vs. Berger, F. G. Preston.
Jefferson vs. Jefferson, F. C. Wright.
Mills, alias Whitehead, vs. Mills, alias Whitehead; the Hogans.
Griffin vs. Griffin, H. C. Mulligan.
Bates vs. Bates, A. P. French.
Brown vs. Brown, J. H. Guilled.
Clarke vs. Clarke, C. W. Dodson and J. W. Huse.
Houghton vs. Houghton, Dodson Huse.
Savage vs. Savage, E. R. Champlin.
Rogers vs. Rogers, R. E. Jeffrey and F. W. Campbell.
Gilman vs. Gilman, McIntyre & Wilson.
Conant vs. Conant, W. H. Mullin.
Edgell vs. Edgell, J. J. Harvey.
Norris vs. Norris, William F. Donovan.
Henry vs. Henry, F. C. Wright.
McConnell vs. McConnell, B. M. Fernald.
Grierson vs. Grierson, Burke & Corbett.
Weeks vs. Weeks, T. Hillis.
Cushman vs. Cushman, Weed and Weed.
Coffin vs. Coffin, J. T. Wilson.
Raymond vs. Raymond, Nathan D. Pratt.
Harrington vs. Harrington, McIntyre & Wilson.
Trimble vs. Trimble, W. H. Preble.
Crocker vs. Crocker, F. C. Wright.

CONTESTED DIVORCE CASES.

Harding vs. Harding.
Guerin vs. Guerin.
Malloy vs. Malloy.
Roach vs. Roach.
Fish vs. Fish.
Swift vs. Swift.
Spaulding vs. Spaulding.
Shorey vs. Shorey.
Brown vs. Brown.
Farnsworth vs. Farnsworth.
Flinn vs. Flinn.

JURY WAIVED CASES.

Parish of Medford vs. City of Medford.
Danforth vs. Groton Water company.
McIntyre, Judge vs. Smythe et als.
Morton vs. Gilchrist and trustees.
Rodger vs. Ruddock et als.
Welch vs. Ennis, alias.
McSorley et al vs. Gerrish, Jr.
Kelly vs. St. Onge.
Welsh vs. Fay et als.
Sprague vs. Town of Chelmsford.
Doherty et al vs. Wright company.
Moulton, ad'x vs. Suffolk Savings bank for Seamen and others.
Moulton ad'x vs. Home Saving bank.
Moulton ad'x. vs. Boston Five Cent Savings bank.
Welsh vs. Flynn et als.
Cooney vs. Gilmore.
Hobson et als. Tr's vs. Glendon club et als.
Pasho vs. Crosby and trustees.
Rogers vs. Tighe.
Hope, petitioner, vs. Thompson.
Faulkner I. petitioner to bar action on mortgage.
Newman, Admr. vs. Briggs and Allyn Manufacturing Co.
O'Neill vs. Dunn.
McIntyre, judge, etc., vs. Williams et al.
The E. C. Andrews Co. vs. Henry Thayer.
Flood vs. O'Neil.
Franklin et al., petitioner vs. Houde.
Huard, petitioner, vs. Kelley.
Raymond vs. Carkin.
Page vs. New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad.
Jamieson et al. vs. Doyle.
Woods vs. Daley.
Richardson vs. Cutter.
Allard et al. vs. Morris.
Donnelly vs. Cahill.
Fullick, administrator, vs. Danforth.
Papiano vs. Kelly.
Larkin vs. Shields.
Hoag vs. Cambridge Gas Light Co.

EQUITY CASES.

Danforth vs. Groton Water Co.
Doherty, admx. vs. Doherty.
O'Connell vs. Donahoe, et al.
Cowley vs. O'Connell, et al.
Cushman et al. vs. Graden, et al.
Bennison vs. Plymouth and Sandwich street railway.
Donahue vs. McNally.

MONTHLY SOCIABLE

AT THE FIRST TRINITARIAN CHURCH.

The regular monthly sociable of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the First Trinitarian church, which was held in the vestry, was an event of unusual interest and importance.

The attendance was larger than at any of the other sessions of the organizations this year. From 5.30 to 7.30 supper was served in the two wide vestries under the general direction of Mrs. C. G. Sherman, Mrs. W. H. Fuller and Mrs. L. A. Brigham. The entertainment consisted of a one-act comedy presented by members of Mrs. Kennggott's Sunday school class, and entitled, "Mrs. Willis' Will."

The cast of the characters was as follows: Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Willis' executrix; Mrs. Leo Jelly, Lally Spindle, absurdly haughty and dignified; Miss Roxie Henderson, Mrs. Dwindle, poetess and lady of fashion, Miss Mabelle Dent; Jenny, a servant, Miss Blanche Boardman; Rachel, Mrs. Robinson's housekeeper, Mrs. Elizabeth Spofford. The piece was well presented and kept the audience in a state of constant merriment.

It was announced that Mrs. Kennggott's Sunday school class will give a musicale next Wednesday evening in aid of the Gipsy Village to be held Dec. 8 and 9.

The pastor stated that the Amherst Glee, Mandolin and Banjo club will give a concert at the church Thanksgiving night, under the auspices of the Men's League.

RODGER ENTERTAINED.

Andrew R. Rodger, the crack marksman of Company C, who won two first prizes at the recent shoot at Walnut Hill, was given a jollification at the armory last night, a clambake being the feature of the evening. During the evening a fine literary and musical program was carried out.

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Held Delightful Concert and Dancing Party

IN PRESCOTT HALL LAST EVENING

The Event Was a Great Success

The Shawlight Canoe and Athletic club, one of the most popular organizations of this city, held a concert and dancing party in Prescott hall last evening, and like every event conducted by this club proved a great success from every point of view. The hall was not decorated with bunting or tri-colored streamers, neither was the orchestra obscured from view by potted plants, as has often been the case, but it was a delightful event nevertheless and the 600 people in attendance were unanimous in the belief that the Shawlights were great entertainers.

THOMAS POOLE,
Chairman Reception Committee.

The concert which preceded the dancing was furnished by the club's own talent, and to say the least, it was worth the price of admission alone. Usually when a concert precedes dancing, the audience refrains from applauding the talent with a view of hurrying along the dancing, but last night proved an exception to the rule, for, if all the encores demanded were responded to, it would be safe to state that the concert would have still been in progress at midnight, so delighted was the audience with the musical treat provided by the young men.

The first number was a piano solo by Richard Noonan. The next was a beautiful solo by George P. Daley, entitled "Always in the Way." Martin H. Maguire demonstrated that his sweet tenor voice has lost none of its charms by the manner in which he rendered "Like a Star When It Falls From Heaven." Thomas Poole displayed a rich voice in "Down on the Farm." Thomas B. Murphy's bass voice was heard to good advantage in "I'm Wearing My Heart Away for You." The concluding number was a selection by the Shawlight quartet, and although it was their initial appearance, they scored a decided hit. The quartet consists of Martin H. Maguire, first tenor; George P. Daley, second tenor; Joseph F. Tuttle, baritone, and Thomas B. Murphy, bass.

Richard Noonan was accompanist and his work was up to his usual excellence.

Immediately following the concert dancing to the strains of Hibbard's orchestra was indulged in until midnight, and it was with reluctance that the merry gathering waltzed to the music of "Home, Sweet Home."

Floor Director George P. Daley performed his duties in a very efficient manner. He was ably assisted by Frank P. Duggan and William F. Quinlan as assistant floor director and chief aid respectively, and a large corps of aids.

The success of the affair is due to the untiring efforts of the following efficient officers:

General manager, John W. Maguire; assistant general manager, John A. Robertshaw; floor director, George P. Daley; assistant floor director, Frank P. Duggan; chief aid, William F. Quinlan; aids, Thomas B. Murphy, Martin H. Maguire, Patrick J. Coughlin, William P. Duggan, John J. Carney, Arthur P. Provencher, Arthur E. Moran, John J. Downey, Charles F. King.

Reception committee, Thomas Poole, chairman; assistants Charles F. McQuillan, John R. Kiggins, Thomas J. Daley, John J. Hardy, J. Edward Carney, George E. Hammond, and Almeda Bellanger.

SPURIOUS $20 BILLS

BEING CIRCULATED IN PROVIDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 12—Chief Murphy of the New England branch of the United States secret service, arrived in Providence Tuesday and yesterday secured four of the counterfeit $20 bills circulated in business houses Saturday. The local detectives are working in conjunction with the United States detectives on the case, but have no clue as to who the men passing out the spurious money are.

CITY OF SALEM

HAS FAILED TO FURNISH A SUITABLE ARMORY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SALEM, Mass., Nov. 12—Mayor Peterson has received notification from the attorney general's office to the effect that the governor, as commander-in-chief of the militia, has reported that the city of Salem has failed to furnish a suitable armory for Company H of the Eighth infantry, in violation of the statutes.

The communication adds that unless some arrangement is speedily made for a suitable quarter, action will be taken under the statute.

INTERESTING MEETING

HELD BY CANTON PAWTUCKET, I. O. O. F.

The regular monthly meeting of Canton Pawtucket, No. 9, I. O. O. F., was held in Odd Fellows' Temple, Middlesex street, last evening.

After the routine business was transacted the election of field officers of the 4th Regiment as regards this Canton was concerned, occurred. Lieut. Col. M. D. Brown presided.

The result was: For colonel, George A. Childs; A. E. Bliss for brigadier-general; Charles L. Leach, for lieutenant-colonel; George H. Stevens for major. Then followed the election of officers for the Canton: A. E. Lyford was elected commandant; Fred G. Baldwin, lieut.; Elliott Morgan, ensign; Asa B. Hilliard, clerk; Major E. G. Bearce, accountant.

The members voted to hold a concert and ball in 1904 and the following members were appointed to make arrangements for the same: Chas. Laforest Deals, chairman; Fred Osterhout, Capt. George H. Stevens, Lieut. Col. M. D. Brown, Ensign F. G. Baldwin, Capt. A. E. Lyford.

At the close of business all adjourned to the banquet hall where refreshments were served and brief speeches made.

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Young ladies will find a particularly attractive line of coats of the military type—which are favorites this season.

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The premises formerly belonged to the Patrick Cummiskey estate, and possess an area of over 65,000 square feet, now laid out in streets and divided into lots varying in size from 3215 to 5650 square feet. The frontages run from 38 to 55 feet, and there are six corner lots. On the opposite side of the street are two new houses, the cellars and foundations are in for two more, and the cellars in for another two; beyond the land, the street is all improved to Starbird Street on one side, and partially so on the other with snug and pretty homes.

The land lies well and cuts up splendidly; the neighborhood is quiet and respectable; all city conveniences are at hand; excellent street car services are within two minutes' walk; schools, churches and business are near enough; the prices to be realized will in all probability be within the reach of hundreds of purchasers; and the chance for almost anyone who would establish for himself a comfortable home, easily and quickly reached from down town, within handy walking distance from all sorts of employment, seems truly a good one. When you go to an owner to buy, you must pay HIS price. When he comes to you he must take YOUR price. And the best of all, for the purchaser, is when property is honestly pledged without limit or reserve to the highest bidder at public sale, as this is.

Purchasers must deposit with or secure to the Auctioneers from $25 to $50 on each lot, as requested by the Auctioneers, as soon as each lot is struck off. The sale will take place on Wednesday, the 18th day of November, 1903, and, regardless of the weather, will begin promptly at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

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SUN LATEST

FIVE O'CLOCK

THREW PEPPER

Tramp Tried to Blind Mrs. Mansfield

A villainous rascal of the hobo species attempted to blind Mrs. Susie Mansfield of White street by throwing pepper in her face at her home this forenoon.

He called at the house and asked for a cup of tea, which was given him. He lingered at the table, remarking that the tea was too hot to drink, and as Mrs. Mansfield approached the table he took a handful of pepper from his pocket and threw it at her, intending it for her eyes. She dodged it, however, and screamed. The tramp made good his escape.

Mrs. Mansfield telephoned to the police station and told the police her story. She described the man as well as she could. She said he was a tramp about 40 years old, five feet seven or eight inches tall, heavy dark moustache and wore dark clothes.

"JACK THE PINCHER."

For the past few days young girls in Pawtucketville have complained of a man who in passing them on the street after dark caught hold of them and pinched them, then making his escape. A story got around yesterday to the effect that "The Pincher," as he was called, was hiding in an occupied house a short distance off Mammoth Road and the younger girls were much alarmed over the report. It is thought that the fellow under arrest may also be the assailant of the girls.

$250,000 FIRE IN ALBIA

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBIA, IOWA, NOV. 12.—FIRE THAT BROKE OUT EARLY TODAY IN THE LODES' DRY GOODS STORE, COMPLETELY DESTROYED THE BUSINESS PORTION OF THIS TOWN.

LOSS, $250,000.

MAY BE LYNCHED

Close Guard Kept on Negro Green

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Edward Green, a negro notorious in Mount Vernon, is under special guard in the Bronxville jail owing to fear that he will fall prey to lynchers. He is charged with having attacked a young woman employed as private secretary by former state senator Isaac N. Mills.

The victim of the assault was on her way home when a negro caught her by the throat and was strangling her. She drew a hat pin and jabbed him until he screamed with pain. He did not release his grip on her throat, however, until rescuers appeared in answer to the girl's shrieks for help. A posse quickly formed and after a long chase Green was arrested. When the news spread, the residents of Bronxville became furious and threats of mob vengeance were freely made. Special guards were hurried to the jail and it is thought Green will be protected. He declares he is innocent.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight. Friday, fair and colder; fresh westerly winds.

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BREWER HAAS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Frederick J. Haas, who claimed to have been the first brewer of lager beer in America, is dead at his home in Trenton, N. J. He came from Germany in 1848 in company with the late General Franz Siegel.

WITH THE CRICKETERS.

The Cricketers ball to be held in Prescott hall tomorrow night, promises to be the event of the season and will be largely attended. The Appalachian orchestra will furnish music for dancing, and this alone assures lovers of dancing that the best music will be given during the evening. Nothing has been left undone to ensure its success.

FUNERALS

CONNOR—The funeral of Jennie Connor took place from the funeral parlors of Undertaker J. J. O'Connell & Co., in Central street yesterday afternoon. Services were held at the church of the Sacred Heart in Moore street, Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I. officiating. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

HEAPS—The funeral of Irene Heaps, child of Thomas and Annie, took place this afternoon at two o'clock from the home of her parents, 10 Webster avenue and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

THOMAS—The funeral services of Mrs. Ann Thomas took place at her home, 10 Meadow road yesterday. There was a large gathering of friends and neighbors.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Jenkins of St. Anne's church. Miss Etta Rutherford and Mrs. Jennie Burns Rodger sang the beautiful hymn by Phoebe Carey, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," and the "Home Land," The Alpha male quartet sang "Lead Kindly Light," and "Gathering Home," at the grave.

There were many beautiful floral offerings and the interment was in the Edson cemetery.

COURT—The funeral of Mrs. Lila B. Court, formerly of this city, who died a few days ago in Boston, took place Tuesday afternoon. The body, which arrived in this city on the 1 o'clock train, was accompanied by relatives and at the depot friends from this city were in waiting. Funeral services were held in the Edson cemetery chapel Rev. Dr. Huntington, pastor of the High Street church, officiating, the deceased being a member of his church. The choir of the High Street church attended and sang "Lead Kindly Light," "The Homeland" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." There were a number of very beautiful floral pieces, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held. She is survived by one son Mr. Ormsley Court of Somerville, and one daughter, Mrs. W. B. Fair of Columbus, Ga. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery.

STOPPED A RUNAWAY.

Frank J. McNally brought a runaway horse to a standstill yesterday afternoon about 4.30 o'clock. The horse belonged to Frye & Crawford and came rushing through Middle street at a rapid rate of speed. After going the length of Middle street the animal turned into Shattuck, but McNally stopped him before reaching Merrimack street.

Sale on new Jackets, new Suits, new Furs; Chris. Holmes' Specialty store, 124 and 126 Merrimack street

WILL NOT CONTEST

Rep. McMahon Satisfied With the Recount

The city and town clerks of the 26th and 27th representative districts will meet with City Clerk Dadman, tomorrow at noon and canvass the vote for representative in those districts.

A report current on the street to the effect that Rep. McMahon would contest the election of Messrs. Westall and O'Brien is found to be without foundation. The report probably grew out of the fact that Mr. McMahon was not allowed a recount in the town of Tewksbury. It seems that Mr. McMahon's petition for a recount was not received until after the time limit expired according to the Tewksbury officials, while Mr. McMahon claims that all petitions were sent out at the same time and were received on time in every town except Tewksbury.

FIVE CARDINALS

Received the Red Hat Today

POPE PIUS HELD FIRST PUBLIC CONSISTORY

Great Throng Witnessed the Ceremony

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Nov. 12.—Pope Pius held his first public consistory today.

Five cardinals, including the papal secretary of state, Merry del Val, received their red hats.

One would think by this time a consistory would not cause any particular excitement at the Vatican, but, this morning, the circumstances were so exceptional, namely the holding of the first public consistory under the new pontificate and the conferring of the red hat on the new papal secretary of state that excitement pervaded the whole apostolic palace. As usual, the only person who remained calm was the Pontiff. This, however, is now taken as a matter of course. His serenity of mind is, perhaps, one of the secrets of Pope Pius' great influence over those who surround him.

At an early hour, before the mist had cleared away from the plaza of St. Peter's, all the thoroughfares leading to the Vatican were crowded with cabs carrying thousands of white cravated men and black veiled women, hurrying to secure good positions from which to witness the solemn function, although today's principal ceremony did not begin until 11 o'clock, while cardinals and other prelates and the various personages attached to the papal court drove up in heavy old-fashioned carriages and were received with the usual honors by the Papal Guards.

Splendid weather favored the ceremonial. The ceremonies began at 10.30 a. m. when the five cardinals who were to receive the red hat, Monsignor Merry del Val, Monsignor Callegari, the archbishop of Padua; Monsignor Ajuti, the papal nuncio at Lisbon; Monsignor Taliana, the papal nuncio at Vienna, and Monsignor Katschaler, the archbishop of Salzburg, Austria, went to the Sistine Chapel to take the oath before Cardinals Oreglia, Rampolla and Macchi, heads of three orders of the Sacred College.

Monsignor Merry del Val and Monsignor Callegari wore their red robes for the first time and the group of prelates formed a most striking picture, the effect being heightened by the incomparable singing of the Sistine choir, directed by the Abbe Perosi.

All present noticed the firmness and determination with which Monsigner Merry del Val pronounced the words of the oath.

In the meanwhile the corridors through which the cortege had to pass and the Sala Regia, where the consistory was held, were filled to overflowing. Even the places in the three tribunes, with seats set apart respectively for the diplomats, the Roman aristocracy and specially invited persons were very uncomfortably filled.

When the audience had begun to feel the strain of waiting, a distinct murmur, gradually enlarging into distinct phrases of acclamation, advised those who occupied the Sala Regia that his holiness was approaching. A moment or so later the whole gorgeous picture burst upon their view, arousing a perfect storm of applause and cries of "Long live Pope Pius" and "Long live the pontiff," which were continued until the pope had descended from the sedia gestatoria.

All eyes naturally were on the central figure, who had been borne high in the sedia gestatoria by eight scarlet-clad sediari, flanked by the great feather fans giving a mediaval shading to the scene.

His holiness was clothed in full pontifical robes, with the mitre, an immense emerald sparkling on his finger as he raised his hand to bless the assemblage. Preceding him were the celebrated Swiss guards in uniforms, armed with halberds, the cardinals coming close behind them. The Noble guard came next, escorting the pontiff, who was followed by a train of bishops, priests, monks and court laymen, at the end of the procession being another detachment of guards.

The pontiff seated himself on the throne at the end of the hall, while the cardinals went to their stalls on either side, with the bishops at the left.

Intense silence then fell over the assembled throng and then the new cardinals were introduced by the master of ceremonies, who, while they knelt one by one before the pope, held a cardinal's hat over their heads. Thereupon the pontiff, with real emotion, as if the ceremony, though merely a spectacle to some, was to him a very sacred function, repeated the usual formula, in Latin, after which he embraced the five cardinals tenderly.

The newly honored prelates then arose and went to each of their brother cardinals and gave and received the usual fraternal embrace, the choir in the meanwhile singing softly.

When the ceremony of the exchange of embraces was ended, the pope arose, bestowed the papal benediction on all present and then withdrew, the halls and loggias echoing with acclamations as he passed on his way to his apartments.

After returning thanks in the Sistine chapel the new cardinals, with the other cardinals, retired to the hall of the consistory to hold a supplementary secret consistory, during which the pope granted them the privilege of participating in and speaking at meetings of the congregations, plated the cardinal's ring on their fingers and made each of them a titular bishop of a church in Rome.

After this the Most Rev. Francis Bourne, archbishop of Westminster, assisted by Mgr. Marzolini, as master of the ceremonies, and Count Capogrosi Guarna, as consistorial advocate, asked the pope for his pallium, and Mgr. Ibarra, who should have done the same, as a newly elected Mexican archbishop, asked for his pallium through Mgr. Benlaim Minaui, rector of the Spanish college.

The parents of Mgr. Merry del Val, who were present at the public consistory, were hardly able to conceal their emotion at the honor conferred on their son.

It was only this morning that the pope signed the brief officially appointing Cardinal Merry del Val to be papal secretary of state and making him a member of the congregations of rites and extraordinary ecclesiastical affairs.

A JOLLY TIME

BY THE COLLINSVILLE SOCIAL CLUB.

Last evening about 75 friends of Mr. Michael A. Corcoran, the well-known and popular timekeeper in the Merrimack print works and secretary of the Collinsville social club, called on him at his residence, 71 Butterfield street. It was a stag party and fun reigned fast and furious after the crowd assembled. They played all kinds of games, such as whist and ping-pong, and there was vocal and instrumental music. Among the talent present was Mr. Tuttle, who in his sweet tenor voice rendered several beautiful sentimental ballads. Joe Hurley and Tommy Maguire were the pianists. One of the great features of the evening was the celebrated Dugan band, which rendered selections that would make Creatore turn green with envy. After the musical program the assembly was called to order by Charlie McCarthy, president of the Collinsville social club, and in a very neat little speech he complimented Mr. Corcoran upon the interest he had taken in the club, and in behalf of his brother members presented him with a valuable gold seal ring, and his estimable wife a dining room set of golden oak. This feature of the entertainment was a complete surprise. Mr. and Mrs. Corcoran expressed their appreciation of the tokens of friendship. The party was invited to partake of a bountiful spread and this was the occasion of much merriment as some of the postprandial addresses would make Tommy Byrne jealous.

After the banquet games, music and mirth occupied the rest of the time until after midnight.

FELL FORTY FEET

BOY PICKED UP FOR DEAD WAS NOT HURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—Four-year-old Alexander White of 199 Athens street, South Boston, fell 40 feet from the roof of his home late yesterday afternoon, and is alive and uninjured today.

The child was playing on the roof and toppled over to the street. He was picked up for dead, but Dr. Keenan, who was summoned, could find no noticeable injury to the child. He was taken into the home by the father and later seemed to be without hurt.

FIRE COMMITTEE

WILL DISCUSS FOUR-DAY VACATION ORDER.

The committee on fire department will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon to consider Councilman Welch's order granting them four days' vacation per month.

DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

The democrats of precinct three, ward four, have arranged for a rally to be held in Lyon street ward room at 8 o'clock Friday night.

WITH HATCHET

Demented Man Tried to Kill Himself

Her husband on his knees in the sitting room, hatchet in hand, and blood streaming from a series of wounds in his head and face, was the horrible sight that met Mrs. Albert Estabrook's eyes as she entered the room at her home, 29 Perkins street, on the Lawrence corporation, this forenoon.

Estabrook is demented and is now at the corporation hospital and the doctors there say he will recover. The worst cut is near his left temple, but the doctors say it is not very deep.

SECOND ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE.

It was the second attempt that Estabrook made on his life within the past 24 hours. Yesterday noon he tried to hang himself to a beam in the cellar at his home and would have succeeded but for the timely appearance of his wife. She had nothing with which to cut the cord that held him to the beam, but by an almost superhuman effort she managed to break it.

STRICKEN WITH A SHOCK.

Estabrooks present state of mind dates back to about three weeks ago when he was stricken with a shock. His father died of a shock and Estabrook, for the last year or so, has frequently said to his wife, that he thought he would die as his father died. He recovered, however, from the shock of three weeks, but it was too much for his mind and symptoms of insanity grew apace. He talked almost incessantly about his physical condition and his wife has had all she could do to care for him.

TO THE INSANE ASYLUM.

After the would-be suicide had been taken in the ambulance to the Corporation hospital, Mrs. Estabrook called at Judge Hadley's office and said she would like to have her husband committed to the asylum at Worcester. The judge heard her story and Estabrook will be examined as to sanity as soon as he has sufficiently recovered.

HER TERRIBLE STRAIN.

To a Sun reporter Mrs. Estabrook, whose nervous condition, owing to the terrible strain under which she has been for the last three weeks, is pitiable, said:

"My husband has been insane ever since he had a shock three weeks ago. He lost the use of his limbs for a while and he lost his mind entirely. He has been a little demented, I think, for over a year but he is insane now. He tried to commit suicide yesterday by hanging and I got to him just in time. He came home to dinner and at first he said he wouldn't eat anything. I coaxed him to eat and he finally agreed to sit down. He had a small cord in his hand and he held it while he was at the table. After dinner he went down cellar and after he had been gone a few minutes I followed him. I feared he would try to commit suicide, because he had threatened to several times. He was nearly gone when I arrived and I had just strength enough left to break the rope.

"I will never forget the sight that met my eyes as I entered the room this forenoon and found him on his knees with that bloody hatchet in his hand, his head a mass of cuts and the mats and carpet red with blood. I screamed and grabbed the hatchet; neighbors came to my assistance and the ambulance was summoned. Only God and myself know what I have suffered during the last three weeks. And now to think that he has to be sent to an asylum seems more than I can stand." Mrs. Estabrook was so weak that she had to rest several times in the course of her story.

LIQUOR CASES

Two $100 Fines Imposed Today

HORSE POISONING CASE WAS CONTINUED

Woman In Court Forty-One Times

There were no very interesting cases in police court this forenoon. Several liquor cases were called but the defendants in each case pleaded guilty so that the cases did not go to trial. The officers told the court the character of the premises of the defendants and fines were imposed. Two second offenders, Mary J. Donnelly and Thomas McNearny were fined $100 each. They appealed and were ordered in $300 each for appearance before the superior court. They were charged with maintaining liquor nuisances.

Basil Silva whose place in Charles street was raided by the police a few days ago, pleaded guilty to illegally keeping liquor and was fined $50. The fact that there were two christenings going on in the house at the time the officers made the raid served to make things a little bit easier for Silva, in fact it was suggested that perhaps if the case went to trial, the court would take the christenings into consideration and allow a keg of beer for each and every name given the youngsters. In that event Silva could easily have accounted for his generous supply of beer.

FOR ALLEGED POISONING.

What promises to be a very interesting case was called and, on agreement of counsel, was continued one week.

Bartholomew F. Dunn of Dunstable has lost eight horses within the last 10 years. They were all poisoned and in consequence of alleged threats made by one Edmond Connors, he swore out complaint against him and the case was to be heard today. The complaint charges Connors with maliciously poisoning a horse.

FORTY-ONE TIMES IN COURT.

Alice Murtagh has appeared in police court more times on the charge of drunkenness than any woman in Lowell. She was there today and was sentenced to the workhouse for a term of 18 months. Judge Hadley told her he was tired trying to do anything for her. He had exhausted all probation liberties in her case and it was plain, he said, that she couldn't keep sober. "You have appeared here forty-one times, and I will give you a long vacation," said the court. The woman didn't seem surprised that the court saw fit to impose a rather unusually long sentence in her case.

HE WAS DISCHARGED.

The police tried to make out that William F. Lucas was drunk, but the court didn't find in their favor. Lucas was charged with drunkenness and was discharged. The fact of the matter is that all the evidence of drunkenness that the police offered, applied to Lucas' condition in Lawrence, not in this city.

Conductor Herman Logan and Motorman Fred A. Ford, who run between Haverhill and Lowell, stated that Lucas was drunk and raised a disturbance on their car in Lawrence, yesterday. Judge Hadley suggested that his condition in that city had nothing to do with his condition in Lowell and when Officer Atkinson, who arrested Lucas, said he wouldn't have arrested him but for the fact that somebody from Lawrence had telephoned that Lucas raised a disturbance in a street car in Lawrence. Judge Hadley told the clerk to place the case on file and Lucas was discharged.

For drunkenness, two first offenders were fined $2 each and one was released.

P. A. C.'S AGAIN

PAWTUCKETVILE CLUB WILL BE RE-ORGANIZED.

At a meeting held in Pawtucketville last evening it was decided to re-organize the Pawtucketville Athletic club.

At one time the P. A. C. was one of the strongest organizations in the city, and former members and friends will be pleased to learn of the effort that is being made to re-organize it.

DEATHS

VOSE—William Vose, aged 86 years, died Tuesday at his home in South Chelmsford.

BROGAN—Margaret Brogan, wife of the late John, died this morning at her home, 47 Cross street. She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. Michael Kane.

CARNEGIE'S LIBRARY ACCEPTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCKPORT, Mass., Nov. 12—The town voted last night, 118 to 3, to accept Andrew Carnegie's offer of $10,000 for a public library.

Mrs. Nat. Bateman of Lawrence and her sister, Miss Bridget Dee of Boston, both formerly of Lowell, were in town today renewing old acquaintances.

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PRIEST'S OFFER

Wants Town to Take Parochial Schools

HE WRITES LETTER EXPLAINING THE PLAN

Has Nothtng to Do With Religion

There is much interest in Peabody over the proposition of the Rev. M. J. Masterson to the school committee of that town offering to transfer the Catholic parochial schools to the town if the town will take them and maintain them. The following is the full text of the letter sent by Fr. Masterson to the school board:

"Peabody, June 8, 1903.

"To the respected members of the school board. Greeting: Madam and gentlemen:

"In sending you this petition I beg to assure you that I am influenced as well by a feeling of real friendship, as by a sense of even justice, and my purpose is to ask your fair consideration of, and high-minded action on, the following proposition hereby submitted:

"I desire, as a public-spirited citizen, for the public good to place our schools under the direction of your board, for all the necessary purposes of ascertaining its efficiency in the education of children of our town, in full accord with the laws of the town and the state.

"The result giving you entire satisfaction in every detail, some compensation should, I respectfully submit, be accorded by your board. The school, it is understood, will be open to any of the children of the town; only the intent to learn will be expected. I wish to assure the board again that I am moved by no narrow or mean disposition in this communication, but rather by the deepest feeling of unity and justice toward you and all our townspeople. Should you desire further elucidation of this proposal, I will be most happy to throw whatever light I can on the important and interesting question.

"I have the honor to remain,

"Yours very sincerely,

"M. J. MASTERSON."

It is understood that Fr. Masterson's only request will be that the Catholic children shall receive religious instructions outside school hours, several days a week.

Big time at Prescott hall, Friday evening.

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"We have noticed a steady increase in the demand for Ayer's Hair Vigor during the last few months."

On Nov. 5, 1903, thirty Lowell druggists were requested to report on the sales of Dr. Ayer's Family Medicines during the past year. Without exception each druggist reported an increase. J. C. AYER CO.

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NOTICE

To the Carpenters, Cabinet Makers and Machine Wood Workers of Lowell. There will be a special open meeting at Spinners' hall, 22 Middle street, Nov. 13, 1903, at 8 o'clock. Carpenters, cabinet makers, shop carpenters and machine workers are especially invited. General Secretary Duffy of U. B. of C. and J. of A., Brother William J. Shields of Boston, will speak and other prominent speakers will be present. There will be a varied entertainment and refreshments will be served.

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NO REDUCTION

Of the Textile Operatives' Wages in Lowell

Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills will not say whether or not there is likely to be a reduction in the wages of the cotton operatives in Lowell, as in Fall River and other cities.

Agents of other mills, however, have stated that there will be no reduction in the wages of the textile operatives.

"I do not want to be interviewed on the question," was all Mr. Southworth would say when asked to make a statement.

One of Mr. Southworth's bosses, Treasurer Arthur T. Lyman, representing the major portion of the mill interests of this city, said last evening that he was not aware that any reduction in wages was contemplated by the mills in this city.

He explained that when the increase of 10 per cent. was made in the wages of operatives in the cotton mills at Fall River, New Bedford and other southern New England points, about a year and a half ago, the increase was not met by the Lowell mills nor others in the northern portion of New England, and the present reduction at Fall River simply places the mills there substantially on the same wage-paying basis as exists at Lowell and elsewhere north of Boston.

STRIKE BEGUN

Great Labor Trouble is on in Chicago

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—At 4 o'clock the long-expected and often deferred struggle between the union employes of the Chicago City railway and the company began and when the residents of the south and southwest sides of the city started for their places of business they were without their usual transportation facilities.

Beginning at midnight the trainmen gradually took their cars to the seven barns of the company scattered throughout the system and left them there. In the shops, barns and power-houses the union workers laid down their tools and quit, declaring that they will remain idle until the company consents to arbitrate the issue that brought on the controversy.

Notwithstanding statements by officials of the company that no attempts would be made to run cars today except for postal service a few passenger cars were started this morning early on various lines. The result was trouble, almost instantly, the first instance reported being the intimidation and flight of a non-union crew on the Cottage Grove avenue line. The cars were without passengers. That disturbance might be expected today was indicated by the wide distribution of a proclamation by Mayor Carter Harrison warning citizens to keep off the streets along the lines of the city railway.

POLICE ARE READY.

With general orders to remain in reserve and take no part in the strike unless ordered, and then only to protect property, details of police were sent to the various car barns. The first car started was a mail car, leaving the barns at Thirty-ninth street and Cottage Grove avenue. It was not harmed during its entire trip. In all 265 policemen were detailed to the different car barns. Following the trip of the mail car efforts were made by the street car company to move passenger cars with non-union crews. Four trains were started on the Cottage Grove avenue cable line bound toward the business district. At Fourteenth street an obstruction upon the rails blocked the trains. A crowd of strikers had assembled and shouts and jeers greeted the train crews. A shower of stones followed and car windows were demolished.

ONE MAN HURT.

One man, a non-union conductor, is said to have been injured in the first clash.

A mail car following the first passenger train was also derailed near the scene of the blockade. Besides the police detailed for service at the several barns, as many more were quickly made available to respond to emergency calls.

A car on the Wentworth avenue line was blocked at VanBuren street by trucks and delivery wagons which gathered by the score, locked wheels and refused to move. Cars of the Union Traction company also helped to make the blockade complete. Thousands of pedestrians on their way to work massed in the streets adding to the confusion and hampering the police in their efforts to clear a way for the stalled car.

Another cable train was derailed at 47th street on the Cottage Grove avenue line by a crowd of strike sympathizers.

A horseshoe was wedged in the cable and brought the train to a standstill. The gripman was injured by the shock and was removed to a drug store. A physician called to attend him is said to have inquired if he had a union button. On receiving a negative reply he said:

"Take him to the barns. They will attend to him there," and refused to examine the gripman's injuries.

TO BREAK STRIKE.

It soon became apparent that determined effort was being made by the company to break the strike at the inception. The passenger cars on the Cottage Grove and Wentworth avenue lines came along quickly as soon as mail cars were safely out of sight. No policemen rode in the cars which were almost invariably empty. Patrons apparently preferred to walk or make long detours to steam and elevated lines rather than risk injury.

The first passenger car on the Wentworth avenue line carried two women. Strikers say that the women were put there by the street car company to test the attitude of the union toward passengers. This was the car which was promptly blockaded by teamsters.

The strike was ordered at an early morning mass meeting of conductors, motormen and gripmen which acted with only four dissenting votes. The strike is to enforce a demand for a wage increase of 25 per cent. and recognition of the union. About 3000 employes are involved and 225 miles of surface track, part cable and part electric.

MAIL CARS RUNNING.

Officials of the union, fearing interference with the operation of the United States mail service would result in calling in troops from Fort Sheridan to protect the cars, instructed motormen on mail cars to report for duty as usual.

Union men who reported at the various barns to take out the mail cars were told by the barn bosses, it is said, that they must take off their union buttons if they intended to work. This a number of the men refused to do.

At the barn at 39th and State streets the strikers distributed buttons to would-be passengers bearing a picture of a street car and the legend:

"Stand for principle. I will walk."

UNION MEN TURNED DOWN.

The railway company refused the services of a union crew for a mail car sent out on 63d street. The car was manned by a non-union crew and the strikers say that the company had played one of its strongest cards for federal interference. The mail car that was stopped by the blockade in Cottage Grove avenue was manned by union men.

The union men asserted that public sympathy was with them.

Two omnibus companies had scores of busses through the city, carrying passengers to the steam and elevated roads. In addition teamsters and drivers were carrying passengers to work from all parts of the south side to the down-town district.

The mayor's attitude is shown by a proclamation adjuring all curiosity seekers to keep off the streets and warning against crowds.

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WIDESPREAD CUT

25,000 Mill Hands Will Have Pay Reduced

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 12—The news that orders had been issued in Fall River to reduce the wages of cotton mill operatives in that city ten per cent. on November 23, was the most unwelcome piece of intelligence that Rhode Island mill towns have heard for several years.

All indications point to a general reduction in this state and in those Massachusetts and Connecticut mills controlled by the Rhode Island interests, these outside mills, including the Hebron Manufacturing company at Hebronville; Dodgville mills at Dodgeville; Attleboro Manchaug company, at Manchaug; Blackstone company at Blackstone; Readville mills of Hyde Park, all in Massachusetts; the Ponemah mill of Taftville, Wauregan, Quinebaugh, Attawaugan, Williamsville, Ballouville and other plants in eastern Connecticut.

It is regarded as a practical certainty that orders will be issued from the mill offices here ordering a widespread cut which will affect 25,000 operatives.

One of the leading treasurers here states that the mills in this city, the Pawtuxet and Blackstone valleys and at New Bedford, which raised wages ten per cent. a year and a half ago, will undoubtedly reduce wages, following the lead of Fall River in this as in raising wages. He said that the mills in southern New England had been paying since the last increase at the rate of seven to ten per cent. higher wages than their competitors in Lowell and vicinity.

Another local treasurer said the reduction in wages had been regarded as a foregone conclusion for some time. Now that the Fall River mills had taken the initiative it was certain that the mill men here would gladly follow suit and end what was becoming an intolerable expensive affair.

The date for the reduction here will in all probability be the same as that in Fall River, November 23.

HOME IN FLAMES

Occupants Awakened by Watch Dog

By Associated Press to The Sun

MERRIMAC, Mass., Nov. 12.—Aroused by the barking of a faithful watchdog, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thompson awoke early today to find their home in flames and with scarcely time for them to escape with their lives from the burning building. From the house the flames spread quickly to a large stock barn adjoining and this building, which contained 11 cows, four horses and a large quantity of hay, was destroyed with its contents. While assisting in removing furniture from the burning house, Hayden Patten, a fireman, was struck by a falling beam and painfully but not seriously injured.

The loss is $10,000 and is partly covered by insurance.

DEBATES ARRANGED

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN CLUB HAS SEVERAL ENGAGEMENTS.

The regular meeting of the Benjamin Franklin Debating club was held last evening and arrangements were made for several public debates for the coming winter season.

The question submitted by the Men's league of the First Congregational church of Dracut was as follows:

"Resolved, That all taxes should be abolished, save one single tax levied on the value of land, irrespective of the value of improvements in or on it."

The Franklin club last night appointed as the team to represent it in this tilt, Messrs. Harold Caverly, Addison E. Avery and Winfred C. MacBrayne. The date of the debate has been set as December 16, and it will be held at the First (Hillside) Congregational church, the Navy Yard.

Arrangements were also completed with Messrs. Mevis, Smith and Cutler representing the Solon Stevens Debating club of the First Congregational church, for the series, the first of which will occur January 7. Messrs. Pillsbury, Coyne and Cannon will be the first team to take the stand. The question will be: "Resolved, That immigration is detrimental to the United States," and the Franklin club will uphold the negative.

During the literary program interesting essays were given by two of the members. James Rielly read a paper on "Elocution," and James Cannon one on "The Growth of the Correspondence School." Recitations were also given. Mr. Avery was critic of the evening. There were guests present from other literary societies in the city.

GOLD TRIMMED.

You can see a set of artificial teeth that will make your mouth water by calling at the office of Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, the only dentist who extracts teeth without your feeling it. He uses En-Cola, that does it.

Does Your Head Itch?

A New York man, who requests us to withhold his name, writes: "For years my head has itched and itched, annoying me fearfully at times. I tried ZEMA-CURA. It gave me instant relief. I continued to use it and now I am cured." All druggists sell ZEMA-CURA. $1.00.

SWAM EIGHT MILES

BOY MADE DESPERATE EFFORT TO ESCAPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—William Cole, a 19-year-old boy, whose home is in Boston, yesterday confessed to having escaped several times from jail. He pleaded guilty before Judge Newburger in the court of general sessions to a charge of stealing a $2 watch chain from Solomon Perowsky of No. 65 Bowery on Oct. 21.

The record of the young man, so the officers declared, proved that he had escaped from prison in Massachusetts, had then come here, where he was sentenced to six months for vagrancy, and after serving five months and two weeks of his sentence, had "left," as he expressed it, "one night."

In order to escape Cole jumped into the water, and, so the story goes, swam eight miles to Cow Bay and made his escape. Judge Newburger said:

"I do not think this fellow should be sent to a reformatory, as he has certainly started out on a career of crime. However, I will remand him for one week to investigate the stories about him."

RAISED $1 BILLS

GIRL IS CHARGED WITH MAKING FIGURE "10."

By Associated Press to The Sun

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 12—The federal grand jury yesterday returned an indictment against Dale Matthews, a young woman from Angola, this state, who was attending the Marion Musical college and was arrested on Saturday for raising $1 bills to $10. The fraud had been committed by making a "naught" with white ink to the right of the figure 1 in each corner of the face of the bill, and blurring the back of the bill so as to practically destroy the figures. The work on some of the bills was well done, but on others was very clumsy.

Asked how she happened to think of raising bills, Miss Matthews said: "I don't know. I had read of men making large bills out of small ones and I could not get it out of my mind. I did not know it was wrong, for I did not think of that part of it. I only know that I was nearly out of money and that I would have to quit school unless I got some, somewhere."

MACHINISTS DANCE

FOURTH ANNUAL SOCIAL WAS LARGELY ATTENDED.

The fourth annual social and dance under the auspices of the International Association of Machinists was held at Associate hall last evening with a good sized attendance. Music for dancing was furnished by Kittredge's orchestra. The officers of the party were as follows:

General manager, Robert Thompson; assistant manager, C. H. Peard; floor director, Merville Harris; assistant floor director, P. C. Murray; chief aid, Herbert Hillard; aids, James McEvoy, Joe Quinn, Fred Burrow, Adlmore Boudreaux, Jerry Taylor, Ralph Frost, J. McGrail, John Morrissey, W. Breaky, Thomas Terney, Clyde Whitten; reception committee, E. H. Burke, Maurice Butterfield, Tim Kearns, John Lyons, William Lyness, Thomas Carrey, J. Enright, Eddie Young, Walter Witham, Geo. Wartson, Frank Scott.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of B. F. Butler Relief corps, No. 75, auxiliary to Post 42, G. A. R., was held last evening at Memorial hall. One proposition was received and plans for conducting a booth at the coming bazaar for the benefit of the Sailors' and Soldiers' monument were discussed. Inspection drill was held and was in charge of Inspector Mrs. Fannie Parker of West Acton, Mass. Previous to the meeting the members were served a collation.

PROBATE COURT.

Wills presented for probate Tuesday: F. A. Hills, Cambridge; G. W. Pierce, Woburn; Mary Brown, Framingham; C. S. Bean, Lowell; Frances Parks, Newton; F. J. Rowe, Melrose; F. E. Abbott, Cambridge; H. R. Hodson, Chelmsford; Eunice Chandler, Hudson; Harriet Fisk, Somerville; C. E. Bourne, Newton; Martha Sturtevant, Woburn; Mary Ware, Cambridge; Jason Fuller, Lowell; F. W. Payne, Newton; S. G. Mack, Lowell;

Administrations: E. B. O'Brien, Cambridge; E. P. Smith, Stoneham; S. O. Covell, Somerville; Albert Nolt, Newton; W. E. Parmenter, Arlington; J. L. Phillips, Wilmington; Hiram Blood, Cambridge; E. G. Morse, Medford; J. J. Walsh, Newton; J. F. Welsh, Waltham; F. Jones, Somerville; H. H. Jones, Melrose; G. A. Johnson, Waltham; Robert Milligan, Watertown; Levia Stevenson, Newton; Adelaide Benton, Stoneham; William Nixon, Cambridge; Julia Mullins, Cambridge.

SUPT. J. E. DODGE

Of Hood's Farm Married in Milan, Quebec

By Associated Press to The Sun

MILAN, Que., Nov. 12.—One of the prettiest weddings seen in this town for many a year was that of James E. Dodge, the superintendent of Hood's Farm at Lowell, Mass., and Miss Annie MacDonald which took place at the home of the bride's mother at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. McLeod in the parlor of the commodious home under a floral canopy. The entrance to the house, the halls and various rooms were tastefully decorated. The ceremony was witnessed by a large circle of the friends and relatives of the contracting parties. The bride was attended by Miss Maud Dodge, sister of the bridegroom, and the best man was Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, brother of the bride.

The bride wore a beautiful princess gown of cream colored Bedford cord with Irish point lace and pearl trimmings and carried a bouquet of white roses.

Starting on her honeymoon, the bride wore a pretty travelling dress of navy blue broadcloth, Persian trimming and hat to match.

The bridemaid was attired in a dress of grey crepe de chine, trimmed with grey satin over grey silk taffeta and carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Dodge departed for Toronto, Mr. Dodge's native place, while the assembled friends wound up the delightful evening with a dance. During their honeymoon they will visit Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York and Washington.

After the ceremony the happy couple received the congratulations of their closest friends and after a wedding repast they repaired to MacDonald Hall where a reception was held and about 200 invited guests called to extend their good wishes. Refreshments were served while an orchestra discoursed sweet music. They were made the recipients of many valuable presents including an array of silverware.

Mr. Dodge is a graduate of Wisconsin agricultural college and has been five years at Hood's farm. The bride has been in Lowell until a few months ago, when she went home to prepare for the wedding. The happy couple have the best wishes of a great many friends. They will occupy the superintendent's house at Hood's farm and will be at home to their friends after January, 1904.

STRIKE FINDING

Not Binding on Miners or Operators

By Associated Press to The Sun

SUNBURY, Pa., Nov. 12.—Judge Auten has rendered an opinion, in which he decides that in the eyes of the law the anthracite strike commission finding is not binding on either the miners or the operators. This is the first legal decision on the subject.

The matter was brought before court by the Llewellyn Mining company. The company refused to pay back wages allotted by the strike commission and the miners of the Royal Oak colliery brought suit before Justice of the Peace Lloyd for the wages. The justice gave judgment in favor of the miners.

The company then began mandamus proceedings against Justice Lloyd and the court decided in favor of the company.

RATE FOR COAL

RAILROADS AGREE ON $3 A TON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 12.—Representative of every railroad entering this city from the east have agreed to make a rate of $3 a ton for coal from the mines of Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Indian Territory and adjacent fields. When the price of coal goes high enough to make it profitable to import coal at such a rate, it will go into effect.

In the meantime independent mines in the northern Colorado field are resuming. Nine mines are now working there with a total of 280 men and a daily output of 800 tons. Negotiations are under way for the resumption of every independent producer in the district by next Monday. The settlement is on an eight-hour basis with some concessions in wages.

SPEEDY BALLOONING

RATE OF 29 MILES AN HOUR ATTAINED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Nov. 12.—One of the greatest triumphs of dirigible ballooning was achieved today by the Lebaudy brothers, who, in one hour and 35 minutes covered the 46 miles separating Moisson and the Champ de Mars, Paris. The balloon for part of the trip attained the extraordinarily high speed of two-thirds of a mile a minute, the mean speed being 29 miles per hour.

For some time the Lebaudys had been preparing the balloon for the voyage and were determined to exceed any performance made by Santos Dumont.

WILL NOT RESIGN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Nov. 12.—Premier Giolotti, yielding to the insistence of King Victor Emmanuel, has abandoned his intention of resigning.

CARPENTERS' UNION.

Tomorrow evening the Carpenters' union will be visited by National Treasurer Duffy of Indianapolis and District Organizer William J. Shields of Boston, and an open meeting will be held, at which addresses will be made by these two officers. An entertainment has been arranged and refreshments will be served during the evening.

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BIGAMY CHARGE

Lighthouse Keeper Under Arrest

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—Asa H. Josselyn now realizes that his second wife was thoroughly alive. He was placed under arrest upon a charge of polygamy, instituted by the woman he thought had jumped into the sea from the rocks of Thatchers Island. Josselyn was arrested by Patrolman Andrew Brauer of Division 3 at the home of his mother, 157 Lexington street, East Boston, shortly after 5 p.m. yesterday.

As the morning papers containing an interview with Mrs. Linda Wylie Josselyn apprised Josselyn of her intention to assist in his prosecution for having married Mrs. Cora F. S. Trommer, he was not surprised by the appearance of the policeman. Josselyn had previously retained an attorney and had been at his mother's home nearly all afternoon waiting for the service of the warrant.

Mrs. Alice L. Josselyn, the prisoner's mother, reached station 3 before her son and the policeman. She offered herself as surety. Josselyn sat in the guardroom while arrangements for admitting him to bail were made by Bail Commissioner Nathan Barnett. Acting under instructions from Asst. Dist. Att'y Sughrue he fixed the amount of the bond at $2000.

Mrs. Josselyn was qualified to furnish that amount, as she said she owned the buildings at 157 Lexington street and 38 Sumner street, East Boston.

Josselyn gave his age as 36, and replied to the question of whether he was married: "I think I am."

"Too much married, aren't you?" asked the lieutenant.

"It seems so," said Josselyn, smiling.

After the acceptance of bail Josselyn returned to East Boston with his mother to the home where Mrs. Trommer and his two children are.

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WEDNESDAY, Jan. 13—President Russell H. Conwell of Philadelphia. Lecture, "The Silver Crown."
WEDNESDAY, Feb. 17—Schubert male quartet of Boston; Elvie Burnette, reader.
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EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

DEMENTED MAN

Missing From His Home at Brookside

John Henry, a resident of Brookside, has been missing from his home since Monday morning.

Henry is slightly demented and his relatives are extremely anxious as to his whereabouts.

A big black and white Newfoundland dog, Mr. Henry's constant companion, is also missing, and it is believed that he went with his master, a fact that affords the family a certain feeling of security. The dog is unusually intelligent and would, in the opinion of the family, in some way give the alarm if anything serious happened to his master.

Mr. Henry is 30 years old, five feet four inches in height, medium build, smooth face, light complexion. He wore a dark suit, blue cap, and negligee shirt. He did not wear a necktie. Any information concerning him will be gladly received at this office and communicated to the relatives.

THE OPEN SHOP

Organized Labor Declares Against It

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—A resolution was introduced at the American Federation of Labor convention today to the effect that the "so-called open shop" whether under private or government control "cannot be recognized by organized labor."

The preamble states that the resolution is based on the Miller case growing out of trouble in the government printing office and President Roosevelt's decision in the matter.

JOHN SMITH IMPROVING.

John A. Smith, the well-known junk dealer, who was taken to the Lowell hospital Monday suffering from a paralytic shock, and who was in a very critical condition, showed signs of improvement this morning by holding a short conversation with the people at the hospital. The authorities feel confident that he will recover.

SEVERE STORM

DID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE IN WESTERN STATES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 12—The whole Pacific coast from British Columbia to Southern California and the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Wyoming, Utah and western Colorado were swept by a storm yesterday that has resulted in almost total prostration of telegraphic service over that territory and in the mountains has all but tied up the railroads in a regular midwinter blockade. The storm, which is still raging with unabated fury, is severest on the coast. So far, however, no marine disasters have been reported. In the gorges of Cascade mountains snow is reported to be four feet deep on the level.

LYDIA YEAMANS-TITUS.

Lydia Yeamans-Titus is the magnet that is drawing immense crowds to the Casto theatre this week, and they are thoroughly satisfied with the current offering at the popular Shattuck street theatre. Manager Haynes has displayed excellent judgment in the selection of this week's bill and it is one that all will enjoy. In addition to Miss Titus, the program contains some of the leading acts of the vaudeville world. Reserved seats can be ordered by telephone, 815-3.

Groceries at Our Cut Prices and Green Trading Stamps on everything we sell are a combination bound to interest the thrifty. $3.00 worth of Green Trading Stamps with every $1 purchase at Tea and Coffee Dept. Also 3 for 1 on smaller purchases.

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Here is a sale of groceries that will bring economy to many a household. We have here precisely what the people want—high grade groceries at most economical prices.

"Golden Rose" Flour. The best made. It pleases both baker and housewife for quality and economy.

Per bbl. $5.50; Per bag, 70c.

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Rich and mellow Coffee, "Golden Rose" brand never disappoints. A genuine blend of Mocha and Java, and to duplicate elsewhere would cost 40c. Packed in 5, 2½ or 1 lb. bags.

Per lb. 20c.

1-lb. pkg. New Seeded Raisins, only 11c

New Washed Currants, just arrived, per 1-lb. pkg..... 9c

BUTTER

Delicious Creamery Butter, rich, fresh made and right from the choicest creameries in Vermont, "Golden Rose" brand.

Per lb., cut from tub, 25c,

5-lb. round or square boxes $1.25.

"Locust Valley" Elgin Creamery Butter. Equal to grades sold as the best elsewhere.

Per lb., cut from tub, 21c.

5-lb. boxes, $1.05.

"Eastern" Brand Eggs. Fresh gathered, new laid stock, per dozen 24c

"Cape Quality" Fancy Hennery Eggs, per dozen..... 29c

Santa Clara Prunes, just arrived, 2 lbs. 13c

North's or Squire's Sugar Cured Smoked Shoulders, lb.....8¾c

Swift's Silver Leaf Lard, 10-lb. pails $1.00

Ginter's Pure Condensed Milk, per doz. $1.05; can..... 9c

Best Fancy Porto Rico Molasses, jug included, gal.....55c

2-lb. cans New Early June Peas, doz. $1.00; can..... 9c

Zest Breakfast Food, per pkg. 9c

"Echo" Oats, new, 2-lb. pkg.. 8c

Best California Evaporated Peaches 9c

Fancy Baldwin, Greening and Pippin Apples, per peck... 25c

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OPP. POLLARD'S FOUR BOSTON STORES.

WILLIAM H. WHITE

THE LATE WILLIAM H. WHITE

Prominent Resident of Lowell is Dead

William Henry White, one of Lowell's leading citizens and businessmen, died suddenly this morning at his farm in Pittsfield, N. H. The deceased was 74 years of age.

Mr. White was born in Woburn, Mass., Oct. 26, 1829. He received his early education in the common elementary schools of Woburn and Winchester, Mass., and at Sheppard's academy.

From his 20th year he was apprenticed as a machinist, during which time he persistently pursued his studies in geometry and draughting, after which he accepted a position in the locomotive shops of the Boston & Lowell railroad at East Cambridge, Mass., and later for a while was employed as an engineer between Boston and Lowell. He then accepted a position as assistant master mechanic at Hornellsville, N. Y., nd then at Dunkirk, N. Y., (terminus at that time) of the New York and Erie railroad.

He was the first man to occupy and put in working order the extensive works known for many years as the Brooks Locomotive works. While there he was offered a partnership in the then very profitable business of purchasing and sawing all foreign woods for furniture, pianos and other various work, with a mill in Winchester, Mass., and salesroom in Boston.

The mill in Winchester was a few years later destroyed by fire. Selling his interest in that business he then turned his attention to the leather business, and soon was induced by a Boston firm to locate and build in Montreal an extensive modern tannery with complete equipments. This was most satisfactorily accomplished, locating at the junction of the Lachine Canal and Grand Trunk railroad. He remained with the firm about five years and returning to this state he located in Lowell in 1863, and began the manufacture of leather.

The force employed at first was very small, only himself and one or two men. The business was gradually increased, for the goods made were of a character to be well appreciated by the best trade and it gradually increased in its details years by year. He had associated with him a brother and later a Mr. Kilburn of Boston, and established a salesroom in Boston, under the name of White Bros. & Kilburn, and later Mr. Kilburn retiring, a son of each partner was admitted, forming the firm of White Bros. & Sons, who continued business for several years. This partnership came to an end by purchase in 1887. Mr White and his son, E. L., formed a partnership then by admitting two other sons, H. K. and W. T. White under the name of White Bros. & Co. Within several years the above firm consolidated with other leather companies and formed what is known as the American Hide & Leather company. The companies were reorganized and new officers elected and Mr. White was one of the large stockholders of the new concern.

The deceased was a republican in politics and a member of the common council of this city in 1885. He was a member of the High street Congregational church and a director of the Lowell Young Men's Christian association, a director in the Prescott National bank and a trustee of the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank. He resided at 250 Nesmith street

TEXTILE SCHOOL

Defeated the Somerville High Eleven

The Lowell Textile school football team went to Somerville yesterday afternoon and defeated the Somerville High and Latin team by a score of 5 to 0. In fact, the local team played two different teams, the second eleven playing against the Textile school in the first half, while in the second half the first eleven lined up.

The lineup and summary:

LOWELL TEXTILE.		SOMERVILLE.
Midwood le		re Bishop (Burns)
Prior lt		rt Driscoll
Dewey lg		rg Sewell (Hall)
Jury c		c Lamont (Graves)
Julia rg		lg Duhig (Stacy)
Brookhouse (Lacy) rt		lt Frost
Donnellan (Kent) re		le Trueman (Davis)
Currier qb		qb Elliott (Blair)
Baldwin lhb		rhb Howlby (Hafford)
Curtis rhb		lhb Bean
Church fb		fb Lakin (McLaughlin)

Score, Lowell Textile 5, Somerville High 0. Touchdown, Curtis. Umpire, Storey. Referee, White. Linesmen, Stone and Moore. Timers, Wentworth and Marra. Time, 15m. halves.

Best dancers in city will be at Prescott hall, Friday evening.

COMMUNICATION

Editor of The Sun:

Please inform me through The Sun whether this is Fred Roark's second or third year as purchasing agent, and oblige a reader of The Sun.

He is serving his third year as purchasing agent.—Ed.

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

Last season nearly 50 honoraries neglected to buy their tickets till after the first recital. This seems entirely unnecessary and will not happen this year if one secures his seats today. Besides the most desirable seats are rapidly disappearing. The recitals are of such high quality and so attractive that one should not hesitate long in buying a season ticket especially since it is far cheaper than single tickets. The hall is going to be full, and the enjoyment is so much enhanced when sitting in a desirable seat. To hear Ruby Cutler Savage and her husband, Paul Savage, who appear at the first recital, next Sunday, is alone worth almost the price of a season ticket. Ruby Cutler is in the first rank of American sopranos, and is soon to enter grand opera. Of Paul Savage, who is the nephew of Rev. J. Mind Savage of Boston, the Paris Figaro says: "His singing at the concert under the patronage of the Countess de Caillogon was remarkable for its repose and breadth of style. Mons. Savage showed that he had splendid control of his voice for either salon work or the larger field of opera." Each recital will be a gem in itself. Go to Austin's today.

GLAZIERS STRIKE

HAS STOPPED WORK IN A FACTORY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—As a result of a strike of 26 glazers, the J. P. Mathieu & Company, glazed kid factory, will suspend operations this week and about 300 hands will be idle. The glazers are piece workers and complain that the firm has handled large sized skins which requires more labor and time and on which they cannot make fair wages without an advance from the old scale of 10 cents a dozen of all sizes, to 12 cents a dozen.

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PIMPLES

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ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

SALE AND SUPPER

BY LADIES OF IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH.

A sale and supper were held by the Ladies Aid Society of the Immanuel Baptist church at the home of Mrs. Mary Gillespie, 121 Lincoln street, last evening.

The sale proper commenced about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, but supper, which drew forth the large crowd, did not take place until 6. Four tables were exhibited.

The tables and their managers were: Mystery table—Mrs. Eli Harris and Mrs. Elisha Harris; Candy table—Miss Etta Estabrook, Miss Etta Wedge; Fancy table—Mrs. A. M. Lawson and Mrs. T. F. Severance; Ice Cream table—Mrs. Alice Olley, Miss Sadie Shrigley and Miss Edith Wedge. The supper was personally supervised by Mrs. Gillespie.

One of the most attractive articles presented was an album quilt, with names on it of hundreds of persons, worked in red silk. Thirty-five squares made up the quilt. All of the ladies in the society assisted in the making of this. Several fancy articles sent by the family of William P. Edwards, of Monongahela, Pa., formerly a member of the church, were disposed of.

The entertainment was under the direction of W. J. Beaven. The pianists were Misses Etta Estabrook and Gertrude Harris. Songs were given by Miss Isabel Gillespie.

About $60 was realized from the sale.

INDUSTRY COUNCIL

DEFEATED JOHN ERICKSON IN BOWLING TOURNAMENT.

Industry council defeated John Erickson council in the Royal Arcanum league last night at Les Miserables alleys. It was easy going for the winners, for they took all three strings and the game. Simpson of the winning team was high man with a three-string total of 231 pins, while Ellison's single string of 83 was the best made during the evening. The score:

Industry—Durrough 226, Richard 203, Walker 221, Simpson 231, O'Donnell 104; total 1088

John Erickson—Ahlbert 225, Ellison 226, Palm 175, Pihl 200, Peterson 227; total 1015.

OPENING OF RESERVED SEAT PLAN.

The reserved seat sale for the Star Course of entertainments, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., will open at the Association building Friday morning at 9 o'clock. The advance sale of course tickets has been very satisfactory, there being eight hundred disposed of already, which, with the single tickets that will probably be purchased for the different entertainments, will likely make an audience of a thousand people at each performance. The opening number on Monday evening is certainly a strong attraction and one that cannot fail to please.

The New York Herald, speaking of the well-known Park Sisters, says: "The Park Sisters were even better than ever. The harmonious blending of these instruments was as perfect as that of the human voice, while their execution was marvelously rendered. Miss Georgie Park's execution on the mandolin cannot be excelled."

Of Frederic Martin the Burlington (Vt.) Free Press says: "Mr. Martin is the fortunate possessor of an excellent basso-cantante voice, well trained and excellently managed. His rendition of Meyerbeer's aria 'The Monk,' was dramatic, forceful and sombre, while in 'Vision Fair' from Massenet's opera 'Herodiade,' he showed imaginative power of a keen and superior order."

CAUGHT IN SHAFT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FRANKLIN, N. H., Nov. 12—Leonard Philbrook, aged 83, an employe at the Franklin Woolen mills, was caught by a rapidly revolving shaft yesterday and killed.

Kennedy's Oysterettes

The Oyster Cracker with a taste to it.

IRON-OX Tablets For the Bowels.

Not purgative nor cathartic, but gently laxative and tonic. For sale by druggists. 25 cents.

A Large Bottle of the Best Hair Tonic at the Lowest Price, That's

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It is a clear hair tonic, possesses an exquisite, delicate perfume, and guaranteed to cure diseased scalps and dandruff, stop falling hair, and sells for only

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If you are troubled with dandruff, try one bottle. It will do the work.

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RECOVERS HIS SON

FAMILY WAS SEPARATED DURING SLAVERY DAYS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—William J. Taylor, a colored man, who has resided on West street, Lynn, for many years, has at last found his son from whom he was separated in slavery 46 years ago. The son, Lewis C. Taylor, reached Lynn from the South last Monday. Before the war William Taylor was a slave in North Carolina. In 1858 he was sold. He had a son born to him a few months after the sale and he never saw him until the meeting in Lynn this week. Mr. Taylor came North in 1862 and settled in West Lynn. There he established a grocery business and made many friends. Wishing to learn something about family he left in the South many years ago, he began advertising and soon got trace of one of his brothers. It was through him that he learned of the whereabouts of his son. Lewis Taylor, the son, is engaged in the orange growing business in Florida, where he has a wife and family. It is understood to be his intention, however, to remove to the North so that he can be near his father.

J. F. ROGERS UNDERTAKER

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APPETITE'S GONE

Food eaten without appetite always causes gastric disturbances, because unless the glands of the stomach are stimulated by a desire for food no digestive juices are formed. Consequently the food is wasted and clogs up the bowels. For Loss of Appetite and Constipation there is nothing to equal the Bitters. Try a dose before meals. It also cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Insomnia and Malaria, Fever and Ague.

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The only drink cure endorsed and sold by members of a Woman's Christian Temperance union.

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TWO FRAUDS.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickster, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

The Good Old Summer time is almost in and we must turn our attention to the Fall and Winter Clothing, and the

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is the place to bring ladies or gents' Clothing, where the work of dyeing or cleaning or pressing is done at the lowest prices consistent with first-class work. The more time we have the better job we can do, so get your goods in now before the rush. Remember the place,

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54 Prescott Street,

A MEETING OF TWO LADIES

"Why, how do you do, Miss Bobs! I am awfully glad to see you, dear. Are you well? I am glad of that. O, say, is that the dress you were telling me about the last time I saw you?"

"Yes, how do you like it?"

"O, it's just too nice for anything. It fits awfully good. Who made it for you?"

"Why, don't you know Herman Snyder, the famous New York ladies' tailor, is here now and makes all my clothes. His place is

90 CHELMSFORD STREET

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUSES

The Democrats of Lowell are hereby requested to meet in their respective ward rooms in caucus on Thursday, Nov. 19, 1903, for the purpose of nominating by direct vote one (1) candidate for mayor, one (1) candidate for chief of the department of supplies and nine (9) aldermen as provided by Chapter 537, Acts of 1902, and also to nominate in each ward three (3) candidates for the common council, to nominate candidates for the school committee in Wards 1, 2, 4, 7 and 9, to nominate candidates for overseer of the poor in Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7.

The caucuses shall be called and held under the provisions of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts and the Acts in amendment thereto. The Australian ballot shall be used at all caucuses.

The caucuses shall be held at the places and the hour named below:

Ward One—Jackson hall, Ward room, at 7 p. m.

Ward Two—Basement Green school at 4 p. m.

Ward Three—Ward room, Engine house, Branch street, at 7 p. m.

Ward Four—Basement Lyon Street school at 4 p. m.

Ward Five—Keyes' Auction room, Green street, at 4 p. m.

Ward Six—Vacant store, No. 446 Bridge street, at 7 p. m.

Ward Seven—Ward room, Engine house, Fletcher street, at 7 p. m.

Ward Eight—Basement Lincoln Street school at 7 p. m.

Ward Nine—Ward room, Engine house, High street, at 4 p. m.

All candidates are requested to file their names at Democratic headquarters, McCarthy's building, Palmer street, rooms No. 1 and 2, on or before Monday, Nov. 16th, 1903, at 9 o'clock p. m., with Patrick J. O'Brien, treasurer Democratic City Committee, or Joseph H. Callahan clerk.

Each candidate for mayor shall deposit with his name the sum of $150, the sum of $125 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for the chief of department of supplies shall deposit with his name the sum of $150, the sum of $125 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for alderman shall deposit with his name the sum of $50, the sum of $40 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for the common council in wards 1, 2, 4, 5 and 9, shall deposit with his name the sum of $10, the sum of $5 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for overseer of the poor shall deposit with his name the sum of $25, the sum of $20 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for school committee shall deposit with his name the sum of $25, the sum of $20 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

The caucuses shall be called to order and be presided over by the chairman of the ward committee of each ward, who shall preside until a permanent chairman is chosen.

(Signed)

DEMOCRATIC CITY COMMITTEE,

THOMAS F. QUINN, Chairman.

JAMES H. GRAY, Secretary.

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CUT IN WAGES

10 Per Cent. Cut Down in Fall River

25,000 Mill Operatives are Affected—Market for Print Cloths Has Been Stagnant—It is Reported That Other Mills Will Follow Fall River's Action

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Nov. 11.—The unsettled state of the cotton goods trade, due largely to the phenomenally high price of raw material and to a pronounced hesitation on the part of purchasers, compelled the manufacturers of Fall River this afternoon to order a general reduction in the wages of their employes. The cut down will affect nearly 30,000 operatives in this city and it is stated unofficially that the action of the local manufacturers will probably be followed by mill owners in southern, central and western Massachusetts, Rhode Island, east Connecticut and possibly the western part of this state, employing a total of about 50,000 men. If all these manufacturers follow the lead of this city, as is anticipated by many, from 75,000 to 80,000 textile operatives will be obliged to submit to a cutdown. The reduction in this city is to go into effect on Monday, November 23, and amounts to ten per cent.

Whether the radical move made by the mill treasurers will be resisted by the operatives cannot be stated at this time. The action was not wholly unexpected by the leaders of the textile unions and by the operatives in general. As soon as news of the cut was announced, hurried notifications were sent to the union officials, some of whom were in Boston attending the convention of the American Federation of Labor and arrangements were perfected to call a conference of the textile workers as soon as possible to consider the outlook. The unions have recognized for months that cotton situation was threatening and in fact going from bad to worse. During summer and early fall the curtailment of production so general throughout New England was felt more by the employes in Fall River than in any other centre, and today news was more unwelcome than usual on this account, especially as the winter season is at hand and many have been unable to maintain a bank account. Although it will be some time before the unions can vote on the issue, it is thought that no general strike will be ordered here at this time, for the reason that many of the manufacturers are short of cotton and have large stocks of goods on hand, which would make a strike of little consequence to them. Some of the treasurers had also been considering a further curtailment and it is possible that some of the mills will have to stop their machinery, regardless of the lowering of the cost of production which would follow cut in the pay-roll.

The mills of Fall River, New Bedford, Rhode Island and those at numerous points in central and western Massachusetts, together with mills in eastern Connecticut, made a general advance in wages early in 1902. Their action was not met, however, by the cotton mills of northern New England and it is not considered probable that the impending attack on the pay-roll in southern New England will have any direct effect in the industry further north. It was this extra advance in wages that led to the great strike in Lowell last spring. The Lowell operatives demanded the Fall River schedule, but the manufacturers there declined to accede to the request.

In this city, about 80 mills, employing slightly over 25,000 men and owned by forty corporations, are represented in the notices posted on the mill gates. The Fall River Iron Works company, operating four large mills and which are owned by M. C. D. Borden of New York, are not in the Fall River Manufacturers' association, and what action Mr. Borden will take in the situation is not known here.

Most of the local mills make print cloths and other coarse goods, although a few of them are engaged in the manufacture of fine goods. The market for regulars has been stagnant for many weeks, with the demand mainly of a hand to mouth character. The high price of cotton has prohibited mill men from carrying much raw material and purchases of late have not been heavy.

The mills in other sections of southern New England follow the Fall River schedule as closely as possible and it is understood that similar action will be taken. The mills at New Bedford employ about 10,000 hands, those in Rhode Island, and eastern Connecticut about 25,000 and those elsewhere which raised wages when the manufacturers here did in 1902 employ from 10,000 to 15,000.

It was learned this afternoon that the reduction was decided at a conference of Fall River men in Boston Nov. 2. The whole affair was in the hands of the executive committee of the Fall River Manufacturers' association and the later secretaries of that body. No general meeting of the association was called.

M. C. D. Borden, not being a member of the association, was not consulted. It is known here that the wage question had been under consideration for some time, but nevertheless today's notice was a surprise to the operatives. The notice given is shorter than usually given, but this, it is stated, is due to the exigencies of the situation.

NO CUT HERE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Nov. 11—Manufacturers in Pawtucket and the Blackstone valley when informed this afternoon of the announcement that there had been notices posted in the Fall River mills of a 10 per cent. cut down stated that the cut down would not have any effect in this city right away, as the local mills manufacture a different class of goods than in Fall River and the local wage scale here is taken from the New Bedford scale. Until a move is made at New Bedford to cut down the wages there will be no change in this city.

PRES. GOMPERS

SAYS THE CUT DOWN IS UNJUST.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11—The news of the cut down in Fall River cotton mills was made known to President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor in this city today through an Associated Press dispatch.

Mr. Gompers said that it was too soon for him to enter into a discussion of the situation. He said that all he cared to say at present was that "it was unjust and unwise at this time to make this reduction."

Mr. Gompers said that the matter probably would be discussed during the session of the American Federation of Labor which is being held in this city during this week.

James Tansey, president; Albert Hibbert, secretary; and Thomas O'Donnell, delegate, of the Textile Workers of America, who are here from Fall River attending the convention of the American Federation of Labor, were informed of the notices of a cut-down at Fall River by the Associated Press bulletin to that effect, and all expressed great surprise at the news, and President Tansey, speaking for his associates, said that he was not prepared to give details of the situation, because he could not be fully conversant with them until he had received advices from the union at Fall River. From his present knowledge, however, he did not see how a cut-down would prove a remedy for existing conditions. Moreover, he did not know why the cut-down was necessary. The mills, he said, were running, the product was being sold, and business apparently was good. He could not say at this time whether the operatives would resist reduction.

REDUCTION IN PROVIDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—While nothing positive of any prospective reduction in wages was known at the local office of the corporations, it is thought very likely that most of the mills owned by others beside the Manville company, will follow the lead made by the Fall River mill companies. The Manville company, however, is not expected to make any material cut in wages. Narly all the mills in this section have been running at a loss for sometime and it is certain that radical changes will have to be made in the near future.

IN WOONSOCKET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Nov. 11.—Nothing is known in the cotton mill offices here of any prospective cut in wages. The principal officials whose offices are in Providence, could not be located this afternoon.

REDUCTION IN TAUNTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TAUNTON, Mass., Nov. 11.—Following the action of Fall River manufacturers, the management of the Corr Manufacturing company posted notices in the cotton mill here this afternoon announcing that a reduction of ten per cent. in wages would go into effect Nov. 23.

LOWELL MILLS

WILL NOT CUT DOWN WAGES OF OPERATIVES.

Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills was out of town today but other mill officials seen by the Sun reporter said there would be no reduction of wages in Lowell.

KILLED BY TRAIN

JEREMIAH SARGENT WAS CROSSING THE TRACKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

READING, Mass., Nov. 11—While crossing the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, near the local station today, Jeremiah G. Sargent, about 70 years old, and a well known sportsman, was struck by a train and killed. He leaves no family.

MAYOR MILLER DECLINES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—Mayor Miller today sent a formal letter to Governor Garvin declining the appointment to the police commission made by the former last Friday.

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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

NEW DAY NURSERY

To be Established Under K. of C. Auspices

As a result of a meeting held Sunday afternoon in Knights of Columbus hall, a number of the members have decided to make an effort to start a day nursery which can be used as a temporary home for destitute children or until such times as a permanent home can be found.

The members have come to the conclusion that there is room for a great deal of charitable work in this respect. They believe that if the right kind of a matron can be found to take charge of the home a great deal of good can be accomplished in the interest of destitute children and wayward girls who sometimes find themselves led from the paths of rectitude by evil associations.

The project has not yet assumed a definite form, but certain it is, that the gentlemen who have it in hand are sufficiently interested in the work to have some such establishment opened in the near future.

One of the plans suggested for its support is to get a number of citizens to subscribe $5 a year or more to meet the running expenses.

The administration will be more easily adjusted. The projectors feel that the work has been too long neglected and it is incumbent on them to do something of the kind in order to meet the long felt want.

PRETTY WEDDING

HART-McDERMOTT NUPTIALS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Mr. Eugene F. Hart, of Meriden, and Miss Margaret McDermott, daughter of Mr. Bernard McDermott, of Pleasant street, a popular young lady of this city, were united in marriage this afternoon at five o'clock at the parochial residence of the Immaculate Conception church, Rev. Eugene A. Dorgan, O., M. I., officiating.

Mr. Hart is better known as "Bob" and played second rush on the Lowell polo team during the last two years. He also played base ball with the Lawrence team during the last two seasons. "Bob" is well known in both this city and Lawrence and has a large following of friends.

Thomas Gilroy of Taunton, the well-known base ball player, acted as best man and Miss Etta McDermott was bridesmaid. The bride was attired in a blue travelling dress and wore a beautiful picture hat, while the bridesmaid wore a steel colored dress and a black picture hat.

Immediately after the marriage a reception was held at the home of the bride's father, 158 Pleasant street, which was largely attended by relatives and friends of the contracting parties, including a number of people from out of town.

The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful and appropriate presents. Mr. and Mrs. Hart will leave on the 9.25 train for Boston tonight and will then go to Muncie, Ind., where Mr. Hart will play second rush with the polo team of that city. The happy couple have the best wishes of their many friends, both in this city and out of town.

THREE WOMEN

WERE REGISTERED AT WEDNESDAY'S SESSION.

Eight men and three women were the total at this afternoon's session of registration. As yet the names are going on slowly but a rush is expected next week, caucus week.

LOWELL WOMAN

FELL INTO HANDS OF LAWRENCE POLICE.

Mary A. Rourke of Lowell swore that she never had been arrested before, despite the fact that Probation Officer Vose had received her record from Lowell, which showed that she had appeared before Judge Hanley twice. She promised to go straight home if allowed her freedom and it was granted.—Lawrence Sun.

HELD REGULAR MEETING.

Ruth Consistory, No. 4, I. H. D.'s of M., held its regular meeting last evening. The white degree was worked with one candidate. The report of the business, etc., of the recent convocation of the supreme body of the I. H. D.'s of M. was read by the consistory's representative, W. P. N. D., Elivira E. Gladwin. It was voted to go to Mrs. James Cornell's, No. Chelmsford, on Tuesday afternoon the 17th, for a supper and social time, all Dames to contribute some article of food towards supplying the table.

WILL INVESTIGATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KINGSTON, N. Y., Nov. 11—The Ulster county board of supervisors, in annual session here, has appointed a committee to investigate the accounts of Superintendent of the Poor Abram Sammons, who is charged by the state charities association with mismanagement of funds and cruelty to inmates.

MANY CLERGYMEN PRESENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—Clergymen of all denominations were present at the second inter-denominational conference on the Gospel of John which was held at the Mathewson Street M. E. church, with the pastor, Rev. Charles M. Meldon, D. D., presiding. The day was taken up with addresses and discussions on the second, third and fourth chapters of the book, sessions being held in the morning and afternoon.

The speakers at the morning meeting were Rev. President Augustus H. Strong, D. D., LL. D., of the Rochester Theological seminary, Rochester, N. Y., on "The Miracle at Cana and a Philosophical Discussion of Miracles;" Rev. Frank J. Goodwin, of the Pawtucket Congregational church of Pawtucket, R. I., who took for his topic, "The Field White for the Harvest"; and Rev. Dr. Edward Abbott, rector of St. James' Episcopal church, Cambridge, Mass., whose address was on "Jesus and Nicodemus—The New Birth."

Rev. Albert H. Plumb, D.D., of the Walnut Avenue Baptist church of Boston, Mass., opened the afternoon session with a discussion of "Eternal Life Through Belief," followed by Rev. Henry M. King, D. D., of the First Baptist church, Providence, on "The Gospel of John in the Spiritual Life of the Churches."

The afternoon session was concluded by Dr. Willis P. Odell, D.D., of the Calvary Methodist church of New York city, who spoke on the topic "The Source or Conditions of Jesus' Strength."

This evening the subject "Some Characteristics of the Gospel according to St. John" will be treated by Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D.D., pastor of the First Congregational church, Cambridge, Mass.

THE MATHEWS

WILL ATTEND MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR DECEASED MEMBERS.

At the meeting of the Mathew Temperance Institute last evening a large amount of business was transacted, the session being an unusually lengthy one, in which many discussions on various subjects took place.

Vice President George Hunt presided and seven propositions for membership were read and six new members were admitted.

The final decision of the body as to what nature the anniversary celebration will assume was deferred until next week.

A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church on Thanksgiving morning for the repose of the souls of all the deceased members of the institute. President Humphrey F. Sullivan, Rev. Fr. Mullin, spiritual director and Secretary John V. Donoghue constitute the committee in charge of the arrangements for the mass. It is planned to have the members assemble at the rooms and thence march to the church where seats will be reserved for them. The musical portion of the mass will be in keeping with the solemnity of the occasion and will comprise beautiful requiem compositions.

The membership contest is now well under way, the contest having been formally opened last evening to close on the first Tuesday evening in February, 1904. Three teams have so far entered the contest and each comprises five men, with the following members as captains: Messrs. Walter E. Flaherty, John E. Sullivan and Henry Barrington.

All the members of the teams represent that hustling section of the society membership, which has done so much good and worked so assiduously in elevating the Mathews, namely, the young members. Prizes aggregating $25 have been offered for the team bringing in the largest number of members in the stipulated time. With the membership of the society at present at the 700 mark it is safe to assume that the benefits which will accrue to the organization by way of a larger membership will put the Mathews near the 1000 mark. Every effort of the teams will be bent in this direction and by the opening of the new year the Mathews will have won the place of New England's representative Catholic temperance society.

On Thursday evening "ladies' night" will be observed by the society in the rooms, the quarters being thrown open for the entertainment of the lady friends of the society. An orchestra for dancing will be in attendance, while pool, billiards, ping-pong, whist and other games will be open to the ladies. Mr. John M. Coughlin is chairman of the committee in charge.

At the 16th anniversary of the organization of the Fr. Mathew T. A. society of Billerica on Saturday evening, President Humphrey F. Sullivan will represent the local society. Ex-President Edward F. Slattery will no doubt also attend, as he assisted many years ago in organizing that progressive society and has always been deeply interested in its welfare.

Henry Hamer of Bachman street has accepted the position of overseer over the whole of the filling, spinning department at the Bigelow Carpet company's mills.

BRIEF SESSION

Senator Hoar on Smoot Petitions

HE SAYS THEY ARE OUT OF ORDER

Two Members of House Sworn In

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The senate began business in earnest today by receiving for the first time in the session, a number of petitions and also many bills. Some of the petitions protested against Senator Smoot of Utah, remaining in the senate.

Mr. Gallinger, (N. H.) was the first of the senators to secure recognition for the introduction of bills and the first bill introduced by him provided for the erection of a statue to General John Stark.

In presenting a numerously signed petition asking the senate to expedite the consideration of the charges against Mr. Smoot, Mr. Hoar took occasion to remind the senators of petitions bearing upon Mr. Smoot's case that the proceeding is out of order and improper. He based his remarks upon the fact that the determination of Mr. Smoot's rights will be a purely judicial proceeding, to be determined by the laws and the constitution of the United States.

"With all due respect to the signers of petitions of this character," he said, "I want to say to them that their petitions are as much out of place when addressed to this high court as similar petitions would be if addressed to the Supreme court of the United States in any case pending before that tribunal."

When the introduction of bills, resolutions, etc., had been concluded, the chair laid before the senate the house joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for mileage of senators and members and upon motion of Mr. Hale is was adopted.

The senate then, at 12.10 went into executive session.

At 1.45 the senate adjourned.

IN THE HOUSE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The house convened at 12 o'clock today. Messrs. C. C. Reid and Minor Wallace of Arkansas and T. B. Kyle of Ohio were sworn in as members of the house.

The house at 12.05 adjourned.

SENATOR CULLOM

WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT ISTHMIAN AFFAIRS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—Senator Cullom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, today presented the following concurrent resolution:

"That the president be requested to communicate to the senate, if not in his judgment incompatible with the public interests, all correspondence and other official documents referring to the recent events on the Isthmus of Panama."

On Senator Cullom's motion the resolution was referred to the committee on foreign relations.

ATTACK BY DEMOCRATS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The democratic steering committee was in session before the senate met today, and again considered the Panama situation. No conclusion was reached, but the indications are that the democrats will attack the course of the administration on the isthmus with reference to the establishment of the new republic of Panama.

SMUGGLING CASES

BROUGHT TO LIGHT IN BOSTON CUSTOM HOUSES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11.—An official of the custom house announced this afternoon that no less than 60 distinct cases of smuggling had been unearthed in this district during the past wek or ten days. The goods illegally imported represented many thousands of dollars. The developments have been such that the officers at work investigating expect to make arrests within a few days.

LIQUOR DEALERS

PROPOSE TO RAISE A BIG DEFENSE FUND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—In fear of further drastic legislation, following that of last winter when the license fees in this state were advanced greatly, the central organization of the New York Wine, Liquor & Beer dealers association, has adopted resolutions approving the defense fund plan formulated at the recent liquor dealers' national convention and has fixed New York state's contribution at $750,000. It was announced that this money is to be raised by a tax label to be put on every package of liquor or barrel of beer, but some of the dealers said the label may not be used. They stated that the money can be raised by regular assessment upon the saloon-keeper.

In Manhattan alone there are 6,000 members of the association in good standing. If every state represented in the national association takes similar action the defense fund of the liquor dealers at this rate will approximate $5,000,000.

"Our organization," said one of the officers, "is not a political body in any sense. It is a business men's organization, formed for strictly business purposes, but when a political party attacks our interests we can play politics and henceforward we propose to do it. The saloon-keepers are not alone in this business. Wholesale dealers, brewers, those who supply mineral waters and everybody associated with the business is in the plan."

DR. SWAN DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

STOUGHTON, Mass., Nov. 11—Dr. W. E. S. Swan, one of the widest known physicians in southeast Massachusetts, died today of heart failure after an illness of several months. He was 65 years old. A son survives.

O'CONNELL CASE

DISMISSED IN UNITED STATES COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11.—The action of Bernard D. O'Connell, a lawyer formerly of Lowell, but now of New York city, to recover $100,000 damages from Chief Justice Mason and Justice Richardson of the superior court of this commonwealth, and Judge Braley of the supreme court, upon an alleged conspiracy to injure him in his profession, was dismissed today by Judge Putnam in the United States circuit court.

SUSPECT ARRESTED

IN CONNECTION WITH THE MERRIMAC ROBBERY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Mass., Nov. 11—George Flynn, of Haverhill, suspected of connection with the Merrimac post office robbery, was arrested here today.

The description given by Chief Nixon of Merrimac of the man who handcuffed him, directed suspicion toward Flynn.

LOW PRICES NOT WARRANTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—At the annual convention of the Machine Tool Builders, which is in session here, resolutions have been adopted declaring that there is nothing in the existing steel trade to warrant a reduction in prices of machine tools.

Of the 45 or 50 members, about 30 were present. President Joseph Flather of Nashua was in the chair. Other officers present were William Lodge of Cincinnati, and J. P. Davis of Rochester, N. Y., and P. E. Montaus of Springfield, Ohio, secretary.

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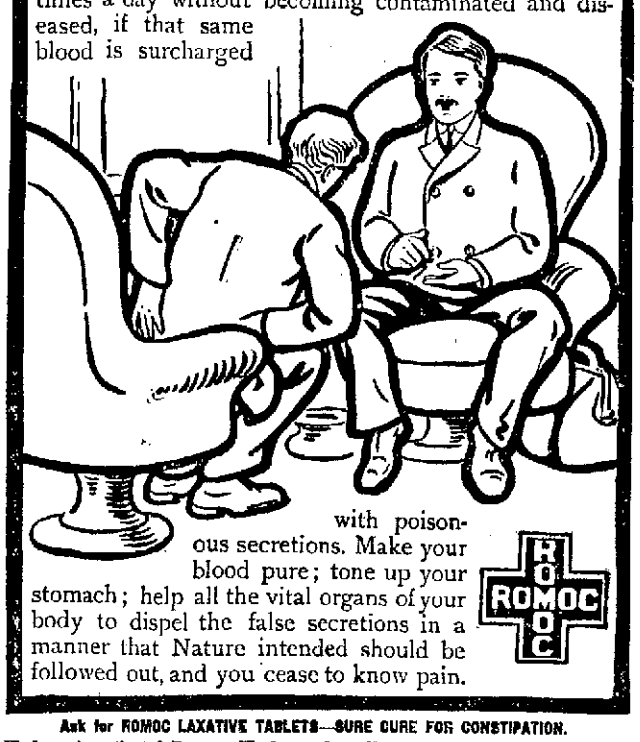

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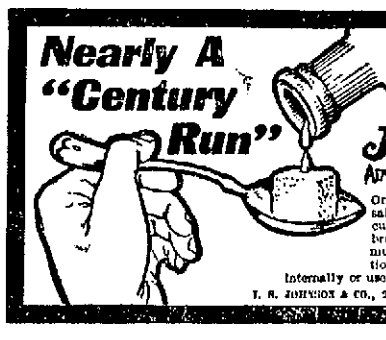

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STRENGTH OF ARMY

Total Number of Organized Militia is 116,542

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The annual report of the acting adjutant general Hall, of the army, was made public today.

The actual strength of the army on October 15, 1903, was 3,351 officers and 55,500 enlisted men. There were lost to the army during the year ended June 30, 1903, 29,279 men, as follows:

138 officers, of whom 25 were killed in action and died of wounds or disease; 28,141 enlisted men of whom 837 were killed in action or died of wounds or disease, the remainder representing men discharged for expiration of term of service, for disability, by sentence of court martial, desertions and retirements.

Over one half of the report is devoted to the militia and it gives a detailed account of the working of the act to promote the efficiency of the militia, passed at the last session of congress.

Inspections of the several militia organizations, the report says, were begun on April 25, 1903, and completed about the first of July. The total number of the organized militia, including officers of every rank and grade, was ascertained to be 116,542.

Regarding the dependable strength of the militia in time of national peril, the adjutant general states that "although the obligation of officers and men of the militia to respond promptly to a sudden call of the president has been on the statute books more than a hundred years, and of the organized militia or national guard for nearly 40, and the neglect to so respond is punishable by such penalties as a court-martial may direct, experience has shown that this obligation is a theory rather than a fact. Without going farther back than the late war with Spain, the proportion of membership of militia organizations who have actually responded to such calls of the president has borne a very small proportion to those actually borne on the company rolls."

Eliminating the men unfit for military service and those unable to go to the front for logical reasons, the report says that only about 30 of the original company is a fair estimate of the number of men in each company that were finally received into the service of the United States.

Continuing, the adjutant general states that there is an explicable opposition on the part of the employers of permitting their employes who are members of the national guard to leave their work to participate in drills, encampments and target practice, as well as in responding to calls for service from the state for the suppression of disturbances.

The adjutant general adds: "In some cities of Virginia, Georgia and Louisiana, the newspapers have prejudiced the minds of the militiamen by their distorted views. The fear is expressed in some southern communities that under the president's order, while national guardsmen might be compelled to serve under a colored commander and still others believe that they are state troops and should not be ordered for duty outside the state."

As the intent of the law becomes better understood, with perhaps some further legislation, the belief is expressed that most of this opposition will vanish."

It is recommended that provision be made in the appropriation bill for the hire and forage of horses and fuel for militia while engaged in manoeuvres. In order to increase the attendance at the drills and thus to secure increased efficiency of the organized militia, that governors be permitted to utilize the allotment of their respective states under Section 1661, Revised Statutes, for the purpose of furnishing a per diem allowance, not in any case to exceed 43 cents per drill of one and one-half hours for the purpose of paying enlisted men of the organized militia for attendance at each of the 24 drills annually required by statute.

That, as a precedent to participation in manoeuvres, the states and territories require a sufficient physical examination for entrance into their organized militia.

That states be permitted to retain rifles and carbines now in use by military schools and colleges instead of throwing them in on receipts of new arms.

That for the purpose of preserving order in camps no troops of the organized militia shall participate in manoeuvres unless the laws of the state to which the troops belong sufficiently provide for the punishment of disorder.

CUBAN RECIPROCITY

THERE WILL BE LITTLE OPPOSITION TO IT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Speaker Cannon was assured today by one of the most prominent leaders of the opposition to Cuban reciprocity in the last congress that there would be little or no opposition republicans to the bill carrying into effect the Cuban reciprocity treaty. He told the speaker that the attempt to form an opposition had failed and that the republicans would not join the democrats in voting the Morris differential amendment in the bill. The speaker was assured that the sentiment among republicans was to stand by the speaker; that it would be impolitic to have a division of the party at the beginning of the session.

LIGHTED CIGAR

CAUSED A $20,000 FIRE IN PAWTUCKET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Nov. 11—A fire apparently caused by throwing a lighted cigar into a box of sawdust did $20,000 damage to the A. Cohen block in this city today.

The principal losers are A. F. & F. Bray, hardware dealers, and A. Chone, owner of the block, and who also conducted a shoe store.

During the fire a large plate glass window of Dealy's dry goods store was smashed in by the bursting of a hydrant. All the losses are well covered by insurance.

TERRIBLE UPROAR

STARS AND STRIPES GREETED WITH GROANS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 11—The introduction of the stars and stripes at the close of a play at the Academy of Music last night caused a terrible uproar. Cat calls and groans filled the house and lasted until long after the statue of Britannia was shown. After that the whole audience arose and sang "God Save the King."

REARDON ARRESTED

HE IS CHARGED WITH BREAKING AND ENTERING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 11—After James S. Reardon, a dry goods dealer on Massachusetts avenue, had been arrested today on the charge of breaking and entering a drug store next door to his place of business and stealing cigars, liquors and candy, the police claim that Reardon confessed to having committed three breaks into same store within the last six months. A large amount of the stolen goods was found in his possession and he pleaded guilty in the district court today, being held for the grand jury in $300.

DOWIE CONVERTS

COLEBROOK PEOPLE JOIN THE RANKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Nov. 11—A special from Colebrook, says:

New Hampshire's latest contribution to the Rev. John Alexander Dowie's "Zion" are Mrs. Sarah Mulliken, her nephew, Fred Buffington and the family of the latter. Mrs. Mulliken is an aged lady and is in feeble health and it is feared by her friends that the journey to Chicago may prove too much for her.

Mrs Mulliken sold her residence in this village, as well as all her personal effect sand contributed the money realized by the sale to the Dowie institution.

ROSE FINLEY

MUST SERVE THREE YEARS IN PRISON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LACONIA, N. H., Nov. 11—Having pleaded nolo contendere to a charge of manslaughter, Rose A. Finley of this city was taken to Concord to serve a sentence of not less than three nor more than five years in the state prison. The girl was accused of drowning her child, several weeks old, in the Winnepesaukee river by throwing it from a bridge here on April 30, last.

COTTON MARKET

ON WAY TOWARD HIGH POINT OF THE SEASON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—After opening steady but rather irregular and nervous, as a result of conflicting early cables, the cotton market this morning became very active and was soon on its way toward the high point of the season. The declines are due to a liquidation and the lack of a turn in far eastern markets.

The market was rather quiet, but almost immediately the bulls began to support prices. Dec. sold at 11.05; Jan. at 11.08; March at 11.11 and May at 11.11, these being net gains of 14 to 16 points.

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CANAL TREATY

Colombia Cannot Take Action Now

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—It is stated here on authority that it is too late for Colombia to make any effort to resurrect the canal treaty with the United States and beyond preventing a hostile clash between Colombia and the new republic of Panama, the proposed visit of General Reyes to Panama will be without result.

The same authority points out that the United States government, having recognized Panama as an independent state, cannot now proceed to negotiate with Colombia on any terms for canal rights in a state over which Colombia exercises no political control, so any future canal negotiations will be between the United States government and the government of Panama.

Mr. Tower, our ambassador at Berlin, has cabled the state department that he has been requested by Baron Richthofen, the German foreign secretary, to inform the Washington government that the report that Germany intended to become involved in the isthmian situation is entirely without foundation and that nothing is known in Berlin of the intention of Colombia to appeal to Emperor William for assistance as was alleged in a recent interview by the Colombian consul-general at New York. Mr. Tower adds that he was further assured by the foreign secretary in a most earnest and sincere manner that the question of Germany's interfering in Panama simply did not exist.

The statement is authorized that the information conveyed to our ambassador at Berlin was entirely voluntary on the part of the German government as the interview of the Colombian consul-general at New York had been ignored here. The action of the Berlin government is thoroughly appreciated by the Washington government, for although it merely confirmed what the State department already knew, the moral effect of the reiteration at this time of Germany's friendly attitude to the United States will not, it is thought, be lost on the other powers.

J. PIERPONT MORGAN

WILL NOT RETIRE FROM BUSINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Nov. 11—The report from New York to the effect that J. Pierpont Morgan proposed to retire from business was given prominence in the newspapers here today and the weakness of Americans on the stock exchange was attributed thereto, though the operators were somewhat sceptical as to the truth of the rumor.

REPORTS ERRONEOUS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—At the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. it was said today that Mr. Morgan had no intention whatever of retiring from active business and that the report that he had such intention was entirely erroneous.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

10.10 a. m.—First trading in stocks showed very large transactions and irregular changes in a few inactive issues while the general list was comparatively unaffected. The United States Steel stocks rose 1-2 and the second bonds 1-4 and 330 shares of Amalgamated Copper sold simultaneously at 39 1-2 and 39 compared with 38 3-4 last night. Pennsylvania on the other hand was under continued pressure, the first 1,000 shares selling at a decline of 3-8. The purchase of 8,000 shares lifted it 3-8. Dealings in these stocks continued on a large scale with rather feverish fluctuations.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—Cotton—Futures opened steady. Nov., —; Dec., 10.92; Jan. 10.30; Mar. 10.96; April ofd. 10.99; May, 10.96; June, 10.98; July, 10.99; Aug., 10.81.

MINES RESUME WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HELENA, Mont., Nov. 11—Operations were resumed at all of the Amalgamated Copper company's properties in the state this morning as a result of the promise made by William Scallon that he would re-open the workings at once if Gov. Toole called a special session of the legislature to enact legislation providing for the hearing of litigation by unprejudiced judges.

SENT TO ASYLUM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 11—Peter O. Elliott, whose suspicious actions led to his arrest, when he attempted to see the president at Washington, has been sent to an asylum for examination to determine his mental condition.

MARKETS IN BAD CONDITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Nov. 11.—Local mill men say that they know of no local movement looking toward a cut in wages, similar to that made in Fall River, but they admit that the markets are in bad condition and must be relieved in some way soon.

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 11.—The annual convention of the Episcopal diocese of Albany is in session today at All Saints cathedral. In the course of his annual convention address, Bishop Doane, for the first time admitted the failing of his own physical strength and practically asked for the appointment of a coadjutor.

IRON WORKERS' STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—Fifteen iron workers employed in the construction of the O'Gormon building in this city, went on strike today as the result of the order issued by President Buchanan of the Iron Workers' union last week. These men are the only ones in this section engaged in contract work of the Iron League.

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FRIARS' CLAIMS

Taft Expects to Settle Them

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Advices reaching the war department from Manila indicate that before he sails for the United States on December 23, Governor Taft will have succeeded in settling the claims of the friars for their extensive property holdings in the islands. Negotiations to this end have been in progress at Manila between Governor Taft and Monsignor Guidi, the papal delegate, ever since the governor's return to the islands from Rome. The main obstacle to a settlement appears to have been an issue between the papal delegates and the religious orders as to the proportion of the purchase money, to be paid by the insular government, that was to be turned over to Rome. The friars naturally desired to receive the major part of the allotment and when they learned that the church insisted upon a certain sum they sought to make good their own proportions by increasing the sum total of the price demanded for the lands. This ran the total up to about $14,000,000, a sum entirely beyond any figure which the insular government was willing to consider. Realizing that with Governor Taft's departure, the chances of a settlement would become more remote, the church authorities have, it is learned, brought pressure to bear upon the friars with result that the insular government expects to be able to acquire their entire holdings in the Philippines for a sum approximating $6,000,000.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

GENERAL HUGHES HANGED HIMSELF IN HIS HOME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RUTLAND, Vt., Nov. 11.—Word has been received here of the suicide at Granville, N. Y., today of General William H. Hughes, the millionaire slate manufacturer. His body was found hanging from a banister in the hall of his home. Two months ago his failure was announced and it is believed that despondency following business reverses led to self-destruction.

DRESSER A WITNESS

IN HEARING OF CREDITORS OF THE FIRM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Daniel Leroy Dresser was again a witness today in the hearing of the creditors of the firm of Dresser & Co.

Mr. Dresser was questioned regarding several stock transactions which did not appear fully on his books.

Attorney Hodges said that according to his reading of the books of the firm, drafts by the Narragansett Web company, amounting to $140,000 were accepted by Dresser & Co. in 1902 and were outstanding at one time. He wanted to know why these drafts were accepted but Mr. Dresser could not say.

Charles E. Boles of the firm of Dresser & Co. testified that he was put down as an underwriter of the ship-building company while absent from the city, as Mr. Dresser wanted an underwriter on a certain date. The Trust Company of the Republic carried the loan for him. He never saw any of the bonds and understood they were sold out and the account closed. He heard they brought $27,000.

"You borrowed $126,000 from the Trust Company of the Republic then?" continued Attorney Hodge.

"I believe so. As an underwriter of 1ll bonds at 94 per cent, I received 350 shares of the preferred stock and 375 shares of the common stock."

SECRETARY HAY

WILL CONFER WITH THE NEW ENVOY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—An important conference will be held this afternoon between Secretary Hay and M. Philippe Buneau-Varilla, the envoy from Panama, at the residence of the secretary, for the purpose of considering the opening of negotiations with the Republic of Panama for the early conclusion of a canal treaty. The commission, which is coming from Panama, the envoy points out, is merely for the purpose of facilitating the negotiations. M. Buneau-Varilla, it is said, has full power to conduct the negotiations, but in a case a question arises on which the opinion of the government is desired, he will refer it to the commission for decision and thus avoid the necessity of cabling to Panama.

TO END FRAUDS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Senator Hansbrough introduced in the senate yesterday a bill which, by implication, repeals the timber and stone act, under which land is now acquired at $2.50 an acre regardless of its real value. The measure is intended to cure defects in existing laws, put a quietus upon speculation in public timber lands and an end to the frauds which recently have grown into a national scandal. It was referred to the committee on public lands, of which the author is chairman.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both news-stands in the Union station, Boston.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Cole, otherwise called Ann Garrity, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by John J. Cole, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this tenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Bernard Reynolds, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Michael Reynolds, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this tenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to October 12, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.40, 6.28, *6.39, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, x3.03, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.65, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.29, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.81, 7.24, w8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.05, w4.05, 4.25, w5.30, 5.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, n2.30, n3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland,) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.46, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.09, 1.00, *1.33, 3.40, *5.31, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *1.39 (to Franklin only.) 5.40, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.,) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth) *b9.10, 9.24 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air line, *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m. (daily except Saturdays.

References:
aVia Wakefield Junction.
*Express. bDaily.
qWednesdays and Saturdays only.
wVia Western Division.
xVia Bedford. zVia Wilmington June.

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MOTHER AND DAUGHTER.

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WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Experienced demonstrators; salary paid. Call New American house, Cero Fruto Co., after 7 o'clock p. m.

KITCHEN GIRL wanted at 30 Cabot street at once.

WANTED—At the Highland house, 749 Middlesex street, a good table girl. Samuel Smith.

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TWO TENEMENTS to let of four rooms each, $6 per month, in rear of 173 East Merrimack street. Inquire on premises.

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TO LET—Pleasant sunny tenement suitable for small family. Apply 61 Sydney street, off Moore.

TO LET—Pleasant furnished room, gas, bath and heat, with home conveniences. 522 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, hot and cold water, good location. 201 Moore street.

TO LET—House and barn on Royal street. Apply at 408 Central street.

TO LET—Cottage house in good repair on Batchelder place; price very low, $12.50. Key for inspection next door.

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TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished room; home comforts, heat, gas, bath, School street, near Pawtucket street. Inquire Sun office.

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RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 30c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 153 Merrimack street.

MISCELLANEOUS

THERE WILL BE an auction sale on butter, meats, groceries, lard, poultry, potatoes, etc., Saturday evening at 7 o'clock sharp, rain or shine; no buy bidders; everything goes under the hammer. Pike's Market, corner Howard and Middlesex streets.

LADIES' AID of the F. F. S. will hold a baked bean supper Saturday evening, Nov. 14, at old Odd Fellows hall, Merrimack street, from 5 to 8 p. m. Supper 15 cents.

DR. C. BRET POOL has established new offices in Stott's block, 408 Middlesex street.

ORLANDO CERRATTI has moved his shoe shining parlors from Prescott street to new block 163 Bridge street. First-class shine 5 cents.

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SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

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LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A black and tan dog on Lawrence street. Owner can have by calling at No. 6 Warnock street and paying for adv.

LOST—A pair of spectacles somewhere in Pawtucketville. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at Sun office.

LOST—Monday evening, a diamond ring in the Opera house. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Lady's gold watch on Christian Hill car at square or on Lawrence car Saturday between 11 and 12 a. m. Reward at Alvin Lawrence's, 27 Gorham street.

LOST—Three months' old black dog. Return to Walter McKenzie, 3 Queen St. and receive suitable reward.

LOST—Between Spaulding and Palmer streets, an alligator side bag containing purse and change, also pearl rosary in case and handkerchief. Reward for return to 33 Bowers street.

LOST—Saturday morning, a pin with brilliants and rubies either on Gorham, Central or Prescott streets. Reward for return to H. E. Harris, 10 Appleton St.

LOST—Between Northern station and Seventh avenue, Pawtucketville, a trip book between Lowell and Boston. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Velvet chatelaine bag containing sum of money on Merrimack street. Reward for return to 489 Moody street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Work by the day or hour by woman; washing, ironing, cleaning, etc.; will also work in restaurant. Call 8 Union street.

A LADY would devote a few hours a day to an invalid in the Highlands; could read aloud, write, sew, etc. Address B. L., Sun.

WANTED

BOARDERS WANTED at 387 Lincoln street, near Gorham street.

WANTED—One or two small children to take care of. Inquire Sun office.

LADIES wishing to make their own dress will now have the opportunity to learn the Penley Dress Cutting System at 65 London street. Come now.

CUT IN WAGES

10 Per Cent. Cut Down in Fall River

25,000 Mill Operatives are Affected—Market for Print Cloths Has Been Stagnant—It is Reported That Other Mills Will Follow Fall River's Action

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Nov. 11.—The unsettled state of the cotton goods trade, due largely to the phenomenally high price of raw material and to a pronounced hesitation on the part of purchasers, compelled the manufacturers of Fall River this afternoon to order a general reduction in the wages of their employes. The cut down will affect nearly 30,000 operatives in this city and it is stated unofficially that the action of the local manufacturers will probably be followed by mill owners in southern, central and western Massachusetts, Rhode Island, east Connecticut and possibly the western part of this state, employing a total of about 50,000 men. If all these manufacturers follow the lead of this city, as is anticipated by many, from 75,000 to 80,000 textile operatives will be obliged to submit to a cutdown. The reduction in this city is to go into effect on Monday, November 23, and amounts to ten per cent.

Whether the radical move made by the mill treasurers will be resisted by the operatives cannot be stated at this time. The action was not wholly unexpected by the leaders of the textile unions and by the operatives in general. As soon as news of the cut was announced, hurried notifications were sent to the union officials, some of whom were in Boston attending the convention of the American Federation of Labor and arrangements were perfected to call a conference of the textile workers as soon as possible to consider the outlook. The unions have recognized for months that cotton situation was threatening and in fact going from bad to worse. During summer and early fall the curtailment of production so general throughout New England was felt more by the employes in Fall River than in any other centre, and today news was more unwelcome than usual on this account, especially as the winter season is at hand and many have been unable to maintain a bank account. Although it will be some time before the unions can vote on the issue, it is thought that no general strike will be ordered here at this time, for the reason that many of the manufacturers are short of cotton and have large stocks of goods on hand, which would make a strike of little consequence to them. Some of the treasurers had also been considering a further curtailment and it is possible that some of the mills will have to stop their machinery, regardless of the lowering of the cost of production which would follow cut in the pay-roll.

The mills of Fall River, New Bedford Rhode Island and those at numerous points in central and western Massachusetts, together with mills in eastern Connecticut, made a general advance in wages early in 1902. The action was not met, however, by the cotton mills of northern New England and it is not considered probable that the impending attack on the pay-roll will have any direct effect in the industry further north. It was this extra advance in wages that led to the great strike in Lowell last spring. The Lowell operatives demanded the Fall River schedule, but the manufacturers there declined to accede to the request.

In this city, about 80 mills, employing slightly over 25,000 men and owned by forty corporations, are represented in the notices posted on the mill gates. The Fall River Iron Works company, operating four large mills and which are owned by M. C. D. Borden of New York, are not in the Fall River Manufacturers' association, and what action Mr. Borden will take in the situation is not known here.

Most of the local mills make print cloths and other coarse goods, although a few of them are engaged in the manufacture of fine goods. The market for regulars has been stagnant for many weeks, with the demand mainly of a hand to mouth character. The high price of cotton has prohibited mill men from carrying much raw material and purchases of late have not been heavy.

The mills in other sections of southern New England follow the Fall River schedule as closely as possible and it is understood that similar action will be taken. The mills at New Bedford employ about 10,000 hands, those in Rhode Island, and eastern Connecticut about 25,000 and those elsewhere which raised wages when the manufacturers here did in 1902 employ from 10,000 to 15,000.

It was learned this afternoon that the reduction was decided at a conference of Fall River men in Boston Nov. 2. The whole affair was in the hands of the executive committee of the Fall River Manufacturers' association and the labor secretaries of that body. No general meeting of the association was called.

M. C. D. Borden, not being a member of the association, was not consulted. It is known here that the wage question had been under consideration for some time, but nevertheless today's notice was a surprise to the operatives. The notice given is shorter than usually given, but this, it is stated, is due to the exigencies of the situation.

NO CUT HERE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Nov. 11—Manufacturers in Pawtucket and the Blackstone valley when informed this afternoon of the announcement that there had been notices posted in the Fall River mills of a 10 per cent. cut down stated that the cut down would not have any effect in this city right away, as the local mill is manufacture a different class of goods than in Fall River and the local wage scale here is taken from the New Bedford scale. Until a move is made at New Bedford to cut down the wages there will be no change in this city.

PRES. GOMPERS

SAYS THE CUT DOWN IS UNJUST.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11—The news of the cut down in Fall River cotton mills was made known to President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor in this city today through an Associated Press dispatch.

Mr. Gompers said that it was too soon for him to enter into a discussion of the situation. He said that all he cared to say at present was that "it was unjust and unwise at this time to make this reduction."

Mr. Gompers said that the matter probably would be discussed during the session of the American Federation of Labor which is being held in this city during this week.

James Tansey, president; Albert Hilbert, secretary; and Thomas O'Donnell, delegate, of the Textile Workers of America, who are here from Fall River attending the convention of the American Federation of Labor, were informed of the notices of a cut-down at Fall River by the Associated Press bulletin to that effect, and all expressed great surprise at the news, and President Tansey, speaking for his associates, said that he was not prepared to give details of the situation, because he could not be fully conversant with them until he had received advices from the union at Fall River. From his present knowledge, however, he did not see how a cut-down would prove a remedy for existing conditions. Moreover, he did not know why the cut-down was necessary. The mills, he said, were running, the product was being sold, and business apparently was good. He could not say at this time whether the operatives would resist reduction.

REDUCTION IN PROVIDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—While nothing positive of any prospective reduction in wages was known at the local office of the corporations, it is thought very likely that most of the mills owned by others beside the Manville company, will follow the lead made by the Fall River mill companies. The Manville company, however, is not expected to make any material cut in wages. Narly all the mills in this section have been running at a loss for sometime and it is certain that radical changes will have to be made in the near future.

IN WOONSOCKET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Nov. 11.—Nothing is known in the cotton mill offices here of any prospective cut in wages. The principal officials whose offices are in Providence, could not be located this afternoon.

REDUCTION IN TAUNTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TAUNTON, Mass., Nov. 11.—Following the action of Fall River manufacturers, the management of the Corr Manufacturing company posted notices in the cotton mill here this afternoon announcing that a reduction of ten per cent. in wages would go into effect Nov. 23.

LOWELL MILLS

WILL NOT CUT DOWN WAGES OF OPERATIVES.

Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills was out of town today but other mill officials seen by the Sun reporter said there would be no reduction of wages in Lowell.

KILLED BY TRAIN

JEREMIAH SARGENT WAS CROSSING THE TRACKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

READING, Mass., Nov. 11—While crossing the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, near the local station today, Jeremiah G. Sargent, about 70 years old, and a well known sportsman, was struck by a train and killed. He leaves no family.

MAYOR MILLER DECLINES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—Mayor Miller today sent a formal letter to Governor Garvin declining the appointment to the police commission made by the former last Friday.

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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

NEW DAY NURSERY

To be Established Under K. of C. Auspices

As a result of a meeting held Sunday afternoon in Knights of Columbus hall, a number of the members have decided to make an effort to start a day nursery which can be used as a temporary home for destitute children or until such times as a permanent home can be found.

The members have come to the conclusion that there is room for a great deal of charitable work in this respect. They believe that if the right kind of a matron can be found to take charge of the home a great deal of good can be accomplished in the interest of destitute children and wayward girls who sometimes find themselves led from the paths of rectitude by evil associations.

The project has not yet assumed a definite form, but certain it is, that the gentlemen who have it in hand are sufficiently interested in the work to have some such establishment opened in the near future.

One of the plans suggested for its support is to get a number of citizens to subscribe $5 a year or more to meet the running expenses.

The administration will be more easily adjusted. The projectors feel that the work has been too long neglected and it is incumbent on them to do something of the kind in order to meet the long felt want.

PRETTY WEDDING

HART-McDERMOTT NUPTIALS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Mr. Eugene F. Hart, of Meriden, and Miss Margaret McDermott, daughter of Mr. Bernard McDermott, of Pleasant street, a popular young lady of this city, were united in marriage this afternoon at five o'clock at the parochial residence of the Immaculate Conception church, Rev. Eugene A. Dorgan, C. M. I., officiating.

Mr. Hart is better known as "Bob" and played second rush on the Lowell polo team during the last two years. He also played base ball with the Lawrence team during the last two seasons. "Bob" is well known in both this city and Lawrence and has a large following of friends.

Thomas Gilroy of Taunton, the well-known base ball player, acted as best man and Miss Elta McDermott was bridesmaid. The bride was attired in a blue travelling dress and wore a beautiful picture hat, while the bridesmaid wore a steel colored dress and a black picture hat.

Immediately after the marriage a reception was held at the home of the bride's father, 158 Pleasant street, which was largely attended by relatives and friends of the contracting parties, including a number of people from out of town.

The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful and appropriate presents. Mr. and Mrs. Hart will leave on the 9.25 train for Boston tonight and will then go to Muncie, Ind., where Mr. Hart will play second rush with the polo team of that city. The happy couple have the best wishes of their many friends, both in this city and out of town.

THREE WOMEN

WERE REGISTERED AT WEDNESDAY'S SESSION.

Eight men and three women were the total at this afternoon's session of registration. As yet the names are going on slowly but a rush is expected next week, caucus week.

LOWELL WOMAN

FELL INTO HANDS OF LAWRENCE POLICE.

Mary A. Rourke of Lowell swore that she never had been arrested before, despite the fact that Probation Officer Vose had received her record from Lowell, which showed that she had appeared before Judge Hadley twice. She promised to go straight home if allowed her freedom and it was granted.—Lawrence Sun.

HELD REGULAR MEETING.

Ruth Consistory, No. 4, I. H. D.'s of M., held its regular meeting last evening. The white degree was worked with one candidate. The report of the business, etc., of the recent convocation of the supreme body of the I. H. D.'s of M. was read by the consistory's representative, W. P. N. D., Elvira E. Gladwin. It was voted to go to Mrs. James Cornell's, No. Chelmsford, on Tuesday afternoon the 17th, for a supper and social time, all Dames to contribute some article of food towards supplying the table.

WILL INVESTIGATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KINGSTON, N. Y., Nov. 11—The Ulster county board of supervisors, in annual session here, has appointed a committee to investigate the accounts of Superintendent of the Poor Abram Sammons, who is charged by the state charities association with mismanagement of funds and cruelty to inmates.

MANY CLERGYMEN PRESENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—Clergymen of all denominations were present at the second inter-denominational conference on the Gospel of John which was held at the Mathewson Street M. E. church, with the pastor, Rev. Charles M. Meldon, D. D., presiding. The day was taken up with addresses and discussions on the second, third and fourth chapters of the book, sessions being held in the morning and afternoon.

The speakers at the morning meeting were Rev. President Augustus H. Strong, D. D., LL. D., of the Rochester Theological seminary, Rochester, N. Y., on "The Miracle at Cana and a Philosophical Discussion of Miracles;" Rev. Frank J. Goodwin, of the Pawtucket Congregational church of Pawtucket, R. I., who took for his topic, "The Field White for the Harvest"; and Rev. Dr. Edward Abbott, rector of St. James' Episcopal church, Cambridge, Mass., whose address was on "Jesus and Nicodemus—The New Birth."

Rev. Albert H. Plumb, D.D., of the Walnut Avenue Baptist church of Boston, Mass., opened the afternoon session with a discussion of "Eternal Life Through Belief," followed by Rev. Henry M. King, D.D., of the First Baptist church, Providence, on "The Gospel of John in the Spiritual Life of the Churches."

The afternoon session was concluded by Dr. Willis P. Odell, D.D., of the Calvary Methodist church of New York city, who spoke on the topic "The Source or Conditions of Jesus' Strength."

This evening the subject "Some Characteristics of the Gospel according to St. John" will be treated by Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D.D., pastor of the First Congregational church, Cambridge, Mass.

THE MATHEWS

WILL ATTEND MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR DECEASED MEMBERS.

At the meeting of the Mathew Temperance Institute last evening a large amount of business was transacted, the session being an unusually lengthy one, in which many discussions on various subjects took place.

Vice President George Hunt presided and seven propositions for membership were read and six new members were admitted.

The final decision of the body as to what nature the anniversary celebration will assume was deferred until next week.

A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church on Thanksgiving morning for the repose of the souls of all the deceased members of the institute. President Humphrey F. Sullivan, Rev. Fr. Mullin, spiritual director and Secretary John V. Donoghue constitute the committee in charge of the arrangements for the mass. It is planned to have the members assemble at the rooms and thence march to the church where seats will be reserved for them. The musical portion of the mass will be in keeping with the solemnity of the occasion and will comprise beautiful requiem compositions.

The membership contest is now well under way, the contest having been formally opened last evening to close on the first Tuesday evening in February, 1904. Three teams have so far entered the contest and each comprises five men, with the following members as captains: Messrs. Walter E. Flaherty, John E. Sullivan and Henry Barrington.

All the members of the teams represent that hustling section of the society membership, which has done so much good and worked so assiduously in elevating the Mathews, namely, the young members. Prizes aggregating $25 have been offered for the team bringing in the largest number of members in the stipulated time. With the membership of the society at present at the 700 mark it is safe to assume that the benefits which will accrue to the organization by way of a larger membership will put the Mathews near the 1000 mark. Every effort of the teams will be bent in this direction and by the opening of the new year the Mathews will have won the place of New England's representative Catholic temperance society.

On Thursday evening "ladies' night" will be observed by the society in the rooms, the quarters being thrown open for the entertainment of the lady friends of the society. An orchestra for dancing will be in attendance, while pool, billiards, ping-pong, whist and other games will be open to the ladies. Mr. John M. Coughlin is chairman of the committee in charge.

At the 16th anniversary of the organization of the Fr. Mathew T. A. society of Billerica on Saturday evening, President Humphrey F. Sullivan will represent the local society. Ex-President Edward F. Slattery will no doubt also attend, as he assisted many years ago in organizing that progressive society and has always been deeply interested in its welfare.

Henry Hamer of Buchman street has accepted the position of overseer over the whole of the filling, spinning department at the Bigelow Carpet company's mills.

BRIEF SESSION

Senator Hoar on Smoot Petitions

HE SAYS THEY ARE OUT OF ORDER

Two Members of House Sworn In

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The senate began business in earnest today by receiving for the first time in the session, a number of petitions and also many bills. Some of the petitions protested against Senator Smoot of Utah, remaining in the senate.

Mr. Gallinger, (N. H.) was the first of the senators to secure recognition for the introduction of bills and the first bill introduced by him provided for the erection of a statue to General John Stark.

In presenting a numerously signed petition asking the senate to expedite the consideration of the charges against Mr. Smoot, Mr. Hoar took occasion to remind the senators of petitions bearing upon Mr. Smoot's case that the proceeding is out of order and improper. He based his remarks upon the fact that the determination of Mr. Smoot's rights will be a purely judicial proceeding, to be determined by the laws and the constitution of the United States.

"With all due respect to the signers of petitions of this character," he said, "I want to say to them that their petitions are as much out of place when addressed to this high court as similar petitions would be if addressed to the Supreme court of the United States in any case pending before that tribunal."

When the introduction of bills, resolutions, etc., had been concluded, the chair laid before the senate the house joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for mileage of senators and members and upon motion of Mr. Hale is was adopted.

The senate then, at 12.10 went into executive session.

At 1.45 the senate adjourned.

IN THE HOUSE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The house convened at 12 o'clock today. Messrs. C. C. Reid and Minor Wallace of Arkansas and T. B. Kyle of Ohio were sworn in as members of the house.

The house at 12.05 adjourned.

SENATOR CULLOM

WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT ISTHMIAN AFFAIRS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—Senator Cullom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, today presented the following concurrent resolution:

"That the president be requested to communicate to the senate, if not in his judgment incompatible with the public interests, all correspondence and other official documents referring to the recent events on the Isthmus of Panama."

On Senator Cullom's motion the resolution was referred to the committee on foreign relations.

ATTACK BY DEMOCRATS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The democratic steering committee was in session before the senate met today, and again considered the Panama situation. No conclusion was reached, but the indications are that the democrats will attack the course of the administration on the isthmus with reference to the establishment of the new republic of Panama.

SMUGGLING CASES

BROUGHT TO LIGHT IN BOSTON CUSTOM HOUSES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11.—An official of the custom house announced this afternoon that no less than 60 distinct cases of smuggling had been unearthed in this district during the past wek or ten days. The goods illegally imported represented many thousands of dollars. The developments have been such that the officers at work investigating expect to make arrests within a few days.

LIQUOR DEALERS

PROPOSE TO RAISE A BIG DEFENSE FUND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—In fear of further drastic legislation, following that of last winter when the license fees in this state were advanced greatly, the central organization of the New York Wine, Liquor & Beer dealers association, has adopted resolutions approving the defense fund plan formulated at the recent liquor dealers' national convention and has fixed New York state's contribution at $750,000. It was announced that this money is to be raised by a tax label to be put on every package of liquor or barrel of beer, but some of the dealers said the label may not be used. They stated that the money can be raised by regular assessment upon the saloon-keeper.

In Manhattan alone there are 6,000 members of the association in good standing. If every state represented in the national association takes similar action the defense fund of the liquor dealers at this rate will approximate $5,000,000.

"Our organization," said one of the officers, "is not a political body in any sense. It is a business men's organization, formed for strictly business purposes, but when a political party attacks our interests we can play politics and henceforward we propose to do it. The saloon-keepers are not alone in this business. Wholesale dealers, brewers, those who supply mineral waters and everybody associated with the business is in the plan."

DR. SWAN DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

STOUGHTON, Mass., Nov. 11—Dr. W. E. S. Swan, one of the widest known physicians in southeast Massachusetts, died today of heart failure after an illness of several months. He was 65 years old. A son survives.

O'CONNELL CASE

DISMISSED IN UNITED STATES COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 11.—The action of Bernard D. O'Connell, a lawyer formerly of Lowell, but now of New York city, to recover $100,000 damages from Chief Justice Mason and Justice Richardson of the superior court of this commonwealth, and Judge Braley of the supreme court, upon an alleged conspiracy to injure him in his profession, was dismissed today by Judge Putnam in the United States circuit court.

SUSPECT ARRESTED

IN CONNECTION WITH THE MERRIMAC ROBBERY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LYNN, Mass., Nov. 11—George Flynn, of Haverhill, suspected of connection with the Merrimac post office robbery, was arrested here today.

The description given by Chief Nixon of Merrimac of the man who handcuffed him, directed suspicion toward Flynn.

LOW PRICES NOT WARRANTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—At the annual convention of the Machine Tool Builders, which is in session here, resolutions have been adopted declaring that there is nothing in the existing steel trade to warrant a reduction in prices of machine tools.

Of the 45 or 50 members, about 30 were present. President Joseph Flather of Nashua was in the chair. Other officers present were William Lodge of Cincinnati, and J. P. Davis of Rochester, N. Y., and P. E. Montaus of Springfield, Ohio, secretary.

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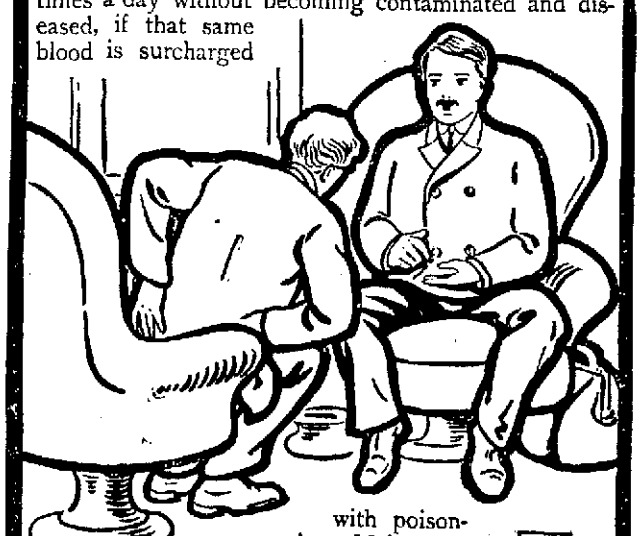

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STRENGTH OF ARMY

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By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11—The annual report of the acting adjutant general Hall, of the army, was made public today.

The actual strength of the army on October 15, 1903, was 3.381 officers and 55,500 enlisted men. There were lost to the army during the year ended June 30, 1903, 29,270 men, as follows:

138 officers, of whom 25 were killed in action and died of wounds or disease; 28,141 enlisted men of whom 837 were killed in action or died of wounds or disease, the remainder representing men discharged for expiration of term of service, for disability, by sentence of court martial, desertions and retirements.

Over one half of the report is devoted to the militia and it gives a detailed account of the working of the act to promote the efficiency of the militia, passed at the last session of congress.

Inspections of the several militia organizations, the report says, were begun on April 25, 1903, and completed about the first of July. The total number of the organized militia, including officers of every rank and grade, was ascertained to be 116,542.

Regarding the dependable strength of the militia in time of national peril, the adjutant general states that "although the obligation of officers and men of the militia to respond promptly to a sudden call of the president has been on the statute books more than a hundred years, and of the organized militia or national guard for nearly 40, and the neglect to so respond is punishable by such penalties as a court-martial may direct, experience has shown that this obligation is a theory rather than a fact. Without going farther back than the late war with Spain, the proportion of membership of militia organizations who have actually responded to such calls of the president has borne a very small proportion to those actually borne on the company rolls."

Eliminating the men unfit for military service and those unable to go to the front for logical reasons, the report says that only about 30 of the original company is a fair estimate of the number of men in each company that were finally received into the service of the United States.

Continuing, the adjutant general states that there is an explicable opposition on the part of the employers of permitting their employes who are members of the national guard to leave their work to participate in drills, encampments and target practice, as well as in responding to calls for service from the state for the suppression of disturbances.

The adjutant general adds: "In some cities of Virginia, Georgia and Louisiana, the newspapers have prejudiced the minds of the militiamen by their distorted views. The fear is expressed in some southern communities that under the president's order, while national guardsmen might be compelled to serve under a colored commander and still others believe that they are state troops and should not be ordered for duty outside the state."

As the intent of the law becomes better understood, with perhaps some further legislation, the belief is expressed that most of this opposition will vanish."

It is recommended that provision be made in the appropriation bill for the hire and forage of horses and fuel for militia while engaged in manoeuvres. In order to increase the attendance at the drills and thus to secure increased efficiency of the organized militia, that governors be permitted to utilize the allotment of the'r respective states under Section 1661, Revised Statutes, for the purpose of furnishing a per diem allowance, not in any case to exceed 43 cents per drill of one and one-half hours for the purpose of paying enlisted men of the organized militia for attendance at each of the 24 drills annually required by statute.

That, as a precedent to participation in manoeuvres, the states and territories require a sufficient physical examination for entrance into their organized militia.

That states be permitted to retain rifles and carbines now in use by military schools and colleges instead of throwing them in on receipts of new arms.

That for the purpose of preserving order in camps no troops of the organized militia shall participate in manoeuvres unless the laws of the state to which the troops belong sufficiently provide for the punishment of disorder.

CUBAN RECIPROCITY

THERE WILL BE LITTLE OPPOSITION TO IT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Speaker Cannon was assured today by one of the most prominent leaders of the opposition to Cuban reciprocity in the last congress that there would be little or no opposition republicans to the bill carrying into effect the Cuban reciprocity treaty. He told the speaker that the attempt to form an opposition had failed and that the republicans would not join the democrats in voting the Morris differential amendment in the bill. The speaker was assured that the sentiment among republicans was to stand by the speaker; that it would be impolitic to have a division of the party at the beginning of the session.

LIGHTED CIGAR

CAUSED A $20,000 FIRE IN PAWTUCKET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Nov. 11—A fire apparently caused by throwing a lighted cigar into a box of sawdust did $20,000 damage to the A. Cohen block in this city today.

The principal losers are A. F. & F. Bray, hardware dealers, and A. Chone, owner of the block, and who also conducted a shoe store.

During the fire a large plate glass window of Deahy's dry goods store was smashed in by the bursting of a hydrant.

All the losses are well covered by insurance.

TERRIBLE UPROAR

STARS AND STRIPES GREETED WITH GROANS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 11—The introduction of the stars and stripes at the close of a play at the Academy of Music last night caused a terrible uproar. Cat calls and groans filled the house and lasted until long after the statue of Britannia was shown. After that the whole audience arose and sang "God Save the King."

REARDON ARRESTED

HE IS CHARGED WITH BREAKING AND ENTERING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 11—After James S. Reardon, a dry goods dealer on Massachusetts avenue, had been arrested today on the charge of breaking and entering a drug store next door to his place of business and stealing cigars, liquors and candy, the police claim that Reardon confessed to having committed three breaks into same store within the last six months. A large amount of the stolen goods was found in his possession and he pleaded guilty in the district court today, being held for the grand jury in $300.

DOWIE CONVERTS

COLEBROOK PEOPLE JOIN THE RANKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Nov. 11—A special from Colebrook, says:

New Hampshire's latest contribution to the Rev. John Alexander Dowie's "Zion" are Mrs. Sarah Mulliken, her nephew, Fred Buffington and the family of the latter. Mrs. Mulliken is an aged lady and is in feeble health and it is feared by her friends that the journey to Chicago may prove too much for her.

Mrs Mulliken sold her residence in this village, as well as all her personal effect sand contributed the money realized by the sale to the Dowie institution.

ROSE FINLEY

MUST SERVE THREE YEARS IN PRISON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LACONIA, N. H., Nov. 11—Having pleaded nolo contendere to a charge of manslaughter, Rose A. Finley of this city was taken to Concord to serve a sentence of not less than three nor more than five years in the state prison. The girl was accused of drowning her child, several weeks old, in the Winnepesaukee river by throwing it from a bridge here on April 30, last.

COTTON MARKET

ON WAY TOWARD HIGH POINT OF THE SEASON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—After opening steady but rather irregular and nervous, as a result of conflicting early cables, the cotton market this morning became very active and was soon on its way toward the high point of the season. The declines are due to a liquidation and the lack of a turn in far eastern markets.

The market was rather quiet, but almost immediately the bulls began to support prices. Dec. sold at 11.05; Jan. at 11.08; March at 11.11 and May at 11.11, these being net gains of 14 to 16 points.

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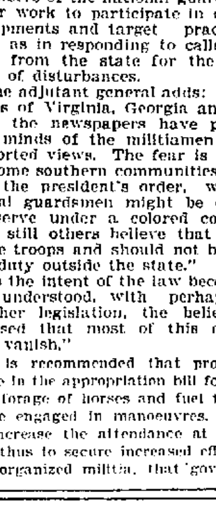

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You must remember that falling hair and dandruff are signs of decay, or a diseased condition of the scalp, and you must not delay treatment. To do so simply means more loss of hair, and a greater impoverished scalp, and finally no hair. The wise thing to do is to correct it in the start. Danderine works wonders in all such cases. It will quickly regenerate the enfeebled tissues, and make your hair grow more beautiful than it ever was. NOW at all druggists, three sizes.

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CANAL TREATY

Colombia Cannot Take Action Now

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11--It is stated here on authority that it is too late for Colombia to make any effort to resurrect the canal treaty with the United States and beyond preventing a hostile clash between Colombia and the new republic of Panama, the proposed visit of General Reyes to Panama will be without result.

The same authority points out that the United States government, having recognized Panama as an independent state, cannot now proceed to negotiate with Colombia on any terms for canal rights in a state over which Colombia exercises no political control, so any future canal negotiations will be between the United States government and the government of Panama.

Mr. Tower, our ambassador at Berlin, has cabled the state department that he has been requested by Baron Richthofen, the German foreign secretary, to inform the Washington government that the report that Germany intended to become involved in the isthmian situation is entirely without foundation and that nothing is known in Berlin of the intention of Colombia to appeal to Emperor William for assistance as was alleged in a recent interview by the Colombian consul-general at New York. Mr. Tower adds that he was further assured by the foreign secretary in a most earnest and sincere manner that the question of Germany's interfering in Panama simply did not exist.

The statement is authorized that the information conveyed to our ambassador at Berlin was entirely voluntary on the part of the German government as the interview of the Colombian consul-general at New York had been ignored here. The action of the Berlin government is thoroughly appreciated by the Washington government, for although it merely confirmed what the State department already knew, the moral effect of the reiteration at this time of Germany's friendly attitude to the United States will not, it is thought, be lost on the other powers.

J. PIERPONT MORGAN

WILL NOT RETIRE FROM BUSINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Nov. 11--The report from New York to the effect that J. Pierpont Morgan proposed to retire from business was given prominence in the newspapers here today and the weakness of Americans on the stock exchange was attributed thereto, though the operators were somewhat sceptical as to the truth of the rumor.

REPORTS ERRONEOUS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—At the office of J. P. Morgan & Co it was said today that Mr. Morgan had no intention whatever of retiring from active business and that the report that he had such intention was entirely erroneous.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

10.10 a. m.—First trading in stocks showed very large transactions and irregular changes in a few inactive issues while the general list was comparatively unaffected. The United States Steel stocks rose 1-2 and the second bonds 1-4 and 330 shares of Amalgamated Copper sold simultaneously at 39 1-2 and 39 compared with 38 3-4 last night. Pennsylvania on the other hand was under continued pressure, the first 1,000 shares selling at a decline of 3-8. The purchase of 8,000 shares lifted it 3-8. Dealings in these stocks continued on a large scale with rather feverish fluctuations.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—Cotton—Futures opened steady. Nov., —; Dec., 10.92; Jan. 10.30; Mar. 10.96; April ofd. 10.99; May, 10.96; June, 10.98; July, 10.99; Aug., 10.81.

MINES RESUME WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HELENA, Mont., Nov. 11—Operations were resumed at all of the Amalgamated Copper company's properties in the state this morning as a result of the promise made by William Scallon that he would re-open the workings at once if Gov. Toole called a special session of the legislature to enact legislation providing for the hearing of litigation by unprejudiced judges.

SENT TO ASYLUM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 11—Peter O. Elliott, whose suspicious actions led to his arrest, when he attempted to see the president at Washington, has been sent to an asylum for examination to determine his mental condition.

MARKETS IN BAD CONDITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Nov. 11.—Local mill men say that they know of no local movement looking toward a cut in wages, similar to that made in Fall River, but they admit that the markets are in bad condition and must be relieved in some way soon.

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 11.—The annual convention of the Episcopal diocese of Albany is in session today at All Saints cathedral. In the course of his annual convention address, Bishop Doane, for the first time admitted the failing of his own physicial strength and practically asked for the appointment of a coadjutor.

IRON WORKERS' STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 11.—Fifteen iron workers employed in the construction of the O'Gormon building in this city, went on strike today as the result of the order issued by President Buchanan of the Iron Workers' union last week. These men are the only ones in this section engaged in contract work of the Iron League.

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For Infants and Children.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

FRIARS' CLAIMS

Taft Expects to Settle Them

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Advices reaching the war department from Manila indicate that before he sails for the United States on December 23, Governor Taft will have succeeded in settling the claims of the friars for their extensive property holdings in the islands. Negotiations to this end have been in progress at Manila between Governor Taft and Monsignor Guidi, the papal delegate, ever since the governor's return to the islands from Rome. The main obstacle to a settlement appears to have been an issue between the papal delegates and the religious orders as to the proportion of the purchase money, to be paid by the insular government, that was to be turned over to Rome. The friars naturally desired to receive the major part of the allotment and when they learned that the church insisted upon a certain sum they sought to make good their own proportions by increasing the sum total of the price demanded for the lands. This ran the total up to about $14,000,000, a sum entirely beyond any figure which the insular government was willing to consider. Realizing that with Governor Taft's departure, the chances of a settlement would become more remote, the church authorities have, it is learned, brought pressure to bear upon the friars with result that the insular government expects to be able to acquire their entire holdings in the Philippines for a sum approximating $6,000,000.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

GENERAL HUGHES HANGED HIMSELF IN HIS HOME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RUTLAND, Vt., Nov. 11.—Word has been received here of the suicide at Granville, N. Y., today of General William H. Hughes, the millionaire slate manufacturer. His body was found hanging from a banister in the hall of his home. Two months ago his failure was announced and it is believed that despondency following business reverses led to self-destruction.

DRESSER A WITNESS

IN HEARING OF CREDITORS OF THE FIRM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Daniel Leroy Dresser was again a witness today in the hearing of the creditors of the firm of Dresser & Co.

Mr. Dresser was questioned regarding several stock transactions which did not appear fully on his books.

Attorney Hodges said that according to his reading of the books of the firm, drafts by the Narragansett Web company, amounting to $140,000 were accepted by Dresser & Co. in 1902 and were outstanding at one time. He wanted to know why these drafts were accepted but Mr. Dresser could not say.

Charles E. Boiss of the firm of Dresser & Co. testified that he was put down as an underwriter of the ship-building company while absent from the city, as Mr. Dresser wanted an underwriter on a certain date. The Trust Company of the Republic carried the loan for him. He never saw any of the bonds and understood they were sold out and the account closed. He heard they brought $25,000.

"You borrowed $125,000 from the Trust Company of the Republic then?" continued Attorney Hodge.

"I believe so. As an underwriter of 141 bonds at 94 per cent. I received 350 shares of the preferred stock and 355 shares of the common stock."

SECRETARY HAY

WILL CONFER WITH THE NEW ENVOY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—An important conference will be held this afternoon between Secretary Hay and M. Philippe Buneau-Varilla, the envoy from Panama, at the residence of the secretary, for the purpose of considering the opening of negotiations with the Republic of Panama for the early conclusion of a canal treaty. The commission, which is coming from Panama, the envoy points out, is merely for the purpose of facilitating the negotiations, M. Buneau-Varilla, it is said, has full power to conduct the negotiations, but in a case a question arises on which the opinion of the government is desired, he will refer it to the commission for decision and thus avoid the necessity of cabling to Panama.

TO END FRAUDS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Senator Hansbrough introduced in the senate yesterday a bill which, by implication, repeals the timber and stone act, under which land is now acquired at $2.50 an acre regardless of its real value. The measure is intended to cure defects in existing laws, put a quietus upon speculation in public timber lands and an end to the frauds which recently have grown into a national scandal. It was referred to the committee on public lands, of which the author is chairman.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Cole, otherwise called Ann Garrity, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by John J. Cole, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this tenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Bernard Reynolds, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Michael Reynolds, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this tenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to October 12, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.03 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.46 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, x3.03, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.25, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.29, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.33, 7.24, w8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.05, w1.05, 4.25, w5.30, 5.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.05, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, n2.30, a8.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland,) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.09, 1.00, *1.33, 3.40, *5.31, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *1.33 (to Franklin only.) 5.10, *b9.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.,) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.33 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.33 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *b9.10, 9.24 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.33, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air line, *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m. (daily except Saturdays.

References:

aVia Wakefield Junction.

*Express. bDaily.

qWednesdays and Saturdays only.

wVia Western Division.

xVia Bedford. zVia Wilmington June.

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H. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER.

Mother—What are you getting up so early for? Daughter—I cannot sleep. Why, dear? I've been thinking all night. Of what? Oh, of the curious things I saw yesterday at one of the windows. What do you mean; are you dreaming? No, but haven't you heard about the new store just opened, and they have got the most beautiful things I ever saw. All my friends have been in to see them. Do you know the place? I do. Where it is? I'll go down with you. THE ORIENTAL BAZAAR, 318 Merrimack Street.

LANDLORDS.

If you have a tenement idle that rents for $15 a month, you are losing 50 cents a day every day it is vacant A little ad. in The Sun "To Let" column will rent your tenement in a very few days. Others have tried it with good results; why don't you try it?

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WANTED—Experienced tailor. Apply Raymond & Snider, 233 Middlesex street.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Slover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Experienced demonstrators; salary paid. Call New American house, Cero Fruto Co., after 7 o'clock p. m.

KITCHEN GIRL wanted at 30 Cabot street at once.

WANTED—At the Highland house, 749 Middlesex street, a good table girl. Samuel Smith.

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THREE YOUNG MEN over 21 years; good chance to learn a lucrative business; splendid chance for promotion. Apply 13 Merrimack square, room 1.

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TO LET—Two separate tenements with bath, on School street, off Branch street. Inquire 148 B street or at Wilson's drug store.

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FURNISHED ROOM to let, with or without board. 21 Osgood street; use of bath.

TO LET—Pleasant sunny tenement suitable for small family. Apply 51 Sydney street, off Moore.

TO LET—Pleasant furnished room, gas, bath and heat, with home conveniences. 522 Central street.

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TO LET—House and barn on Royal street. Apply at 468 Central street.

TO LET—Cottage house in good repair on Batchelder place; price very low, $12.50. Key for inspection next door.

TENEMENTS in all parts of the city at all prices; we have several that will make extra warm, sunny homes for the winter. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished room; home comforts, heat, gas, bath. School street, near Pawtucket street. Inquire Sun office.

TO LET—5, 6, 7-room tenements in good repair. 164 Lawrence street.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 28 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in the city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

A MAN WITHOUT A HOME is wrong; another three tons of coal given away free to the first customer that buys this fine two-tenement house; $100 or more down, balance as rent; $3 a month given away free for prompt payments; here is your chance to get a start; don't lose this golden opportunity; the rents you have paid to landlords would soon pay for a fine house; a home is a good thing; everybody ought to have one; if you own one you are glad; if you haven't one you will be glad when you get one; don't take any man's word, come and see for yourself; this property is right at the doors of all the large manufactures, with improved streets; electric light in front of door; call today or tomorrow. The S. Lagasse Co., 335 Hildreth street, Centralville.

FOR SALE—Cheap, house lots near mills and electrics; instalment plan; easy terms. Inquire 465 Merrimack street, Lowell.

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137 CENTRAL STREET

Our Motto: "Honest Representation, Fair Dealing, Justice to the Owner, Satisfaction to the Buyer."

FOR SALE—Two-tenement house in Belvidere. Bath, hot water, six rooms to each tenement. Well rented. Price $3100.

FOR SALE—15-room lodging house. Steam heat, shower bath, running water in each room. Rooms bring in $30 per week. Well furnished. Price $900.

FOR SALE—Cottage house in Belvidere. All modern improvements, including furnace heat, good lot of land. Price $1700.

FOR SALE—Fine residence and stable in the Highlands, near street cars, all modern conveniences. Price and terms right.

FOR SALE—Nearly new modern house of eight rooms near Jenness and Chelmsford street. Large lot of land. Price only $2000.

TO RENT—Five-room tenement on Barclay street, $10.50. Small tenement on East Pine street, $9. Eight-room house, $12. Tenement and stable, Walker street, $15. Fine residence on Dover street, $25.

WANT ANYTHING?

Ask and you shall receive; that is, if you advertise in The Sun.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good parlor suite, $10. Gardner Bros., 75 Pine street.

DRESS GOODS REMNANTS, cheap, from the Merrimack Woolen mills. Corner store, Lakeview avenue and Pleasant street, Navy Yard.

FOR SALE—Furnished boarding house full of boarders. Inquire at Sun office.

FOR SALE—Bakery doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 129 Branch street.

BOARDING HOUSE for sale; good locality; ill-health reason for wishing to sell. Address B. K., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Carrots for horses by the barrel. C. H. Cutter, 694 Mammoth road, Dracut. Tel. connection.

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at White's. 376 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 60 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 28 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 35c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 16c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack street.

MISCELLANEOUS

THERE WILL BE an auction sale on butter, meats, groceries, lard, poultry, potatoes, etc., Saturday evening at 7 o'clock sharp, rain or shine; no buy bidders; everything goes under the hammer. Pike's Market, corner Howard and Middlesex streets.

LADIES' AID of the F. F. S. will hold a baked bean supper Saturday evening, Nov. 14, at old Odd Fellows hall, Merrimack street, from 5 to 8 p. m. Supper 15 cents.

DR. C. BRET POOL has established new offices in Stott's block, 408 Middlesex street.

ORLANDO CERRATTI has moved his shoe shining parlors from Prescott street to new block 163 Bridge street. First-class shine 5 cents.

DRINK GLORIA; gives youthful vigor; new life and pleasure in every drink. Boyle Bros., Agents.

MADAME LENORE, clairvoyant and card reader, 71 Tyler street. Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Hours 10 a. m. to 12 and 2 to 10 p. m.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Mutter's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood; acts immediately: "It does the business"; sample free. Kraigee, chemist, Dept. No. 5, Milwaukee, Wis.

PIANO OR ORGAN LESSONS at your home; special pains taken with children or advanced pupils; will accompany any instrument for entertainments; years of experience. Mabel Randall, Chelmsford Centre.

STOVES—New and second hand, bought, sold and exchanged. Reliable Furniture Co., 165 Middlesex street.

MISS UPHAM, clairvoyant and life reader. Card reading 25 cents. 81 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

MARTIN HONAN, Grocer, 750 Gorham street, handles the choicest goods; quality considered, our prices are the lowest in the city; call in and see for yourself; discount stamps given.

SHIRT WAISTS GIVEN FREE at Highland Remnant Store, 30 Pine street. We want 10,000 ladies to call and see our stock of Ottomans, Vestings, Silks, Sateens, Madras Cloth, Mercerized Waistings and Shirtings, Ginghams, Flannelettes, etc., which we carry and sell by the yard and pound. Come and be convinced that you can buy more and better goods here for your money than you can get in any other place in the city. Highland Remnant Store.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office. 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

MUSIC—German zither music furnished at reasonable rates for concerts, dinner parties, church entertainments and home socials. John C. Hansen, Bon Marche studio.

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 940 Central St.

MRS. FLETCHER, 709 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 58 Middle St., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 836-13.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 261 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES—Dr. LaFrance's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFrance & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex street.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A black and tan dog on Lawrence street. Owner can have by calling at No. 6 Warnock street and paying for adv.

LOST—A pair of spectacles somewhere in Pawtucketville. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at Sun office.

LOST—Monday evening, a diamond ring in the Opera house. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST Lady's gold watch on Christian Hill car at square or on Lawrence car Saturday between 11 and 12 a. m. Reward at Alvin Lawrence's, 27 Gorham street.

LOST—Three months' old black dog. Return to Walter McKenzie, 3 Queen St. and receive suitable reward.

LOST—Between Spaulding and Palmer streets, an alligator side bag containing purse and change, also pearl rosary in case and handkerchief. Reward for return to 32 Bowers street.

LOST—Saturday morning, a pin with brilliants and rubies either on Gorham, Central or Prescott streets. Reward for return to H. E. Harris, 10 Appleton St.

LOST—Between Northern station and Seventh avenue, Pawtucketville, a trip book between Lowell and Boston. Reward for return to Sun office

LOST—Velvet chatelaine bag containing sum of money on Merrimack street. Reward for return to 480 Moody street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Work by the day or hour by woman; washing, ironing, cleaning, etc.; will also work in restaurant. Call 8 Union street.

A LADY would devote a few hours a day to an invalid in the Highlands; could read aloud, write, sew, etc. Address B. L., Sun.

WANTED

BOARDERS WANTED at 567 Lincoln street, near Gorham street.

WANTED—One or two small children to take care of. Inquire Sun office.

LADIES wishing to make their own dress will now have the opportunity to learn the Penley Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR OCTOBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of October, 1903, was **14,232** A gain of 725 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, November 2, 1903.

JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Governor Bates' Thanksgiving proclamation indicates that he would have been more at home in the ministry than in the gubernatorial office.

THE BRUTALITY OF COLLEGE HAZING.

If the college hazing keeps on in its dangerous and often fatal form, it will soon be necessary for each student on entering to arm himself with a seven-shooter and several rounds of ammunition. In no other way can a young man defend himself against brutality such as that shown at a school in Baltimore in which a freshman was lynched by a gang of young savages in one of their hazing carousals. It would have served them right if the victim of their assault had been able to shoot them down.

CONGRESS AND THE CUBAN TREATY.

It remains to be seen whether congress will hold up the Cuban treaty any longer just because the president has been endeavoring to push it. In his message the president appeals for the adoption of the reciprocity treaty on the ground of national honor. The republican party is afraid that any concession in the line of reciprocity in trade will be but the entering wedge by which similar concessions will be forced for other nations, Canada among the number. Reciprocity with Canada is just as necessary as with Cuba and would prove equally beneficial to this country. It is bound to come.

THE PROPOSED CUT DOWN.

The decision to cut wages in the Fall River mills will spread alarm among the textile workers of New England. The high price of cotton caused mainly by speculators, is the principal cause and the fact that the price of the manufactured product has not risen in proportion. The long shut down of the Lowell mills during the strike may be instrumental in enabling them to avoid a cut down such as is proposed in Fall River.

The cut down coming at the beginning of winter cannot be resisted by a strike, as a strike in winter would be immeasurably more disastrous than one in summer.

DRESS REFORM ON GRADUATION DAY.

There is trouble in the Beverly High school because one of the teachers has suggested a dress reform for graduating day to consist of a calico, gingham, or percale dress, not to cost over $5, for girls. The object is to prevent the unnecessary expense that is incurred in getting costly graduating dresses. The boys, of course, are expected to wear plain clothes, the swallow-tailed suits to be barred. They, too, are somewhat perturbed because they have planned a number of dances at which they had hoped to shine in dress suits. The proposed reform is in the interest of all but particularly of the members of the class who cannot afford expensive costumes. The opposition to the scheme, however, is apparently strong enough to defeat it for the present at least.

THE COLOMBIAN SITUATION.

The effort of Colombia to call in European aid against the United States indicates the possibility of future trouble. Those saucy little republics that we have been protecting for years at great peril to our national peace, do not seem to appreciate the fact that they are under an obligation to us. The control of the Isthmian canal is necessary to our national safety, and the present little transition in Panama will settle that matter in our favor. Colombia has thrown away her opportunity. It will never return. It is now useless for her to lower her terms or say she will accept the canal treaty. A new republic now controls the canal route, and it is not Colombia's to give. Neither is it the province of the United States to destroy this republic in the interests of Colombia. Events in the Isthmus have shaped themselves in our favor, and when the next senate treaty is made the Republic of Panama will be the grantor, and it is likely that the conditions, if not the price to be paid, will be more to our liking than those of the Hay-Herran treaty.

THE FIREMEN'S DEMAND.

It is difficult to conceive how any argument can be adduced against the petition in favor of granting the firemen four days a month off.

If "days off" meant that the firemen could get off in turn and disregard all the alarms that might be sounded in their absence then there might be some reasonable objection upon the ground that the department would be crippled. But while the firemen off duty are obliged to respond to alarms same as when on duty, there can be no valid reason for refusing to give them four days a month off.

The only difference is that if they were at the station instead of at home they might do the chores, but the house duty is not so heavy as that it cannot be done by the men who remain after letting out one at a time in their turn.

If a fireman "off-duty" fails to respond to an alarm when the apparatus of his station goes out he is fined one dollar, and for failure to respond to an alarm when the apparatus does not go out fifty cents.

Under such an arrangement it is plainly absurd to say that a fireman is off duty when he spends a day at home. He is relied upon for service in case of an alarm just the same as if he were at the station, so that there is but little "offness" about it.

There are four Sundays in a month when all other city employes rest or go where they please. Most of the other city employes work but eight hours and have besides a half holiday on Saturday during the summer, if not throughout the year.

The firemen work twenty-four hours a day and have the privilege on three days a month of awaiting alarms at their homes, instead of at their respective stations. They want this slight privilege extended to four days and it would be a gross injustice if their request be not granted.

These firemen have families like other men and like other men much of their attention is required about their houses, but they are limited to their meal hours and the three days a month.

Their life closely resembles imprisonment, as they are night and day separated from their families with the exception of the three days mentioned.

If they asked for a day a month with exemption from responding to alarms, common fairness and justice would dictate the granting of their demand, but they do not go so far; they are willing still to remain on duty 365 days in the year. It would be simply outrageous to refuse their demand for another day with their families so far as the absence of active service with their respective stations will permit. The life of a fireman is not what is generally supposed to be. It is one of endless waiting, watching, one of never ending readiness to jump at the sound of the bell, one of much danger and excitement, one in which the risks are so great that insurance companies avoid them. The average citizen does not realize the risks, the dangers, the weariness, the suspense and the privation that combine to make up the average fireman's life. Nobody need be afraid of making it too enjoyable by giving the fireman the opportunity to be a little longer with his family every month.

SEEN AND HEARD

Perhaps Col. Ripley didn't know it was loaded.

Rocking the cradle of the deep will not hush the ocean's squalls.

If you are not satisfied with your lot put it in the hands of a real estate dealer.

The side-wheel steamer Mt. Desert, which has been in constant service during the season for nearly a quarter of a century, and on which many Lowell people have been passengers, ended her long career in Penobscot bay last week.

Speaking of paramount questions, the one relating to the winter overcoat will not down.

The weather man must have laid in a stock of cold waves at some bargain sale.

Nearly every large business is going into the hands of incorporated companies these days. Davis & Sargent, lumber dealers, are the latest in Lowell to become a company.

For three or four weeks now the wise men of the town will be busy telling in advance whom the next mayor will be.

BEALS FOR POLICE BOARD.

To be a member of the police board is highly esteemed in some quarters, judging from a conversation heard in a street car yesterday between two men.

"Where are you working?" asked one of the other.

"In the street department," was the reply.

"How do you like Beals?" was the next question.

"First rate," was the response, "but I don't see much of him. I hear he is going to give up the job of bossing streets for a better job."

"How is that?"

"Oh, he will be license commissioner if Howe is re-elected."

This conversation opens up a question in arithmetic. The superintendent of streets gets a salary of $2000 a year, a police and license commissioner is paid $1000 annually in salary. How, then, is the commissioner's job better than that of street superintendent? For the best solution of this problem we will give a handsome Christmas box. Every resident of Lowell is entitled to guess early and often.

One of the sights on one of our public streets during the noon hour recently was six laboring men playing a vigorous game of cards in a dump cart.

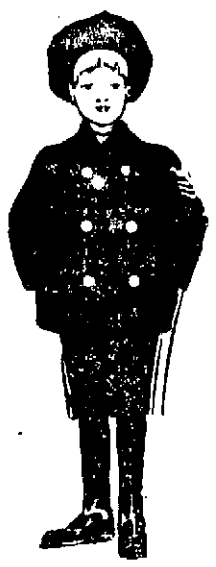
PUTNAM & SON CO.

166 Central Street

The cheery enthusiasm

among the buyers in our boys' department is almost as gratifying as the extraordinary business we have had. It surely shows hearty appreciation of our efforts. We have never sold so many things for boys, never sold them so easily—and that it seems to us tells the whole story. New things are coming daily to replace those going, and the boys' stock represents in the highest degree the newest and best of serviceable goods at the least prices that can be named.

Warm and Stylish Overcoats for Boys



Here are twenty styles of new and pretty coats for small boys, 3 to 9 years.

Double Breast Overcoats for Boys 3 years to 6,

Made from dark oxford and olive meltons, with silk embroidered emblems on the sleeves, belted back and velvet collars for $3.50, $2.50 and **$2.00**

Overcoats for boys 3 years to 9

with military frogs and belted back; or, double breast with silk cord aiguilettes, military buttons and rank marks on sleeves; or, double breast with box plait front, double box plait back with belt; or Russian Overcoats, double breast with hood red lined, of oxford, blue and dark melton and frieze, $4.00 and . . **$3.50**

Fine Overcoats for boys 3 years to 9

The new Corona, double breast or box plait front of warm blue and oxford Friezes, or Zibelines and Kerseys, in brown, tan, red, blue and green mixtures, plain or with Persian lamb collars and cuffs, or trimmed with silk cord aiguilettes, $8, $7 and **$5.00**

Overcoats for boys 9 years to 16,

Made from oxford, blue and black meltons and friezes. Cut very long with the full skirt, box back, $4, $3.50 and . **$3.00**

Fine Frieze All Wool Overcoats for boys 9 years to 16

The full English box back, cut very long with a large sweep to the skirt, plain lined, fancy plaid lined or plaid lined with silk shoulders. Coats that are smart and stylish from Rogers, Peet & Co. or our shop for $12, $10, $8, $6 and **$5.00**

Boys' Fancy Plaid Tourist Overcoats

with half belts, made like the young men's coats, loose backs with a great sweep to the skirt. These are the latest novelties for boys from 9 to 16 years, are exceptionally stylish and most moderately priced $6, and . . **$8.00**

Reefers for boys 3 years to 12

Plain lined or lined with red flannel — from nice warm friezes in oxford, brown and blue. In brown and blue Montagnacs—the larger sizes plain, the small made with emblems and stripes on sleeves, with velvet or cloth collars. A lot of small sizes from last year at $1.25 with all of the new reefers from $2.50 to . . **$7.00**

Boys' Smart Winter Suits

For Young Boys, 3 years to 10

Sailor blouse suits, Russian blouse suits and pretty little Norfolks. The newest Sailors have double breast blouse, Eton collar and Knickerbocker breeches, but we provide also blouses with the deep Sailor collar. Russian blouse suits with the new Eton collar or with deep Sailor collar as preferred. These several styles are made Navy blue, brown and cadet blue serges, and from bright, pretty cheviots, especially chosen for these small sizes. These little suits from . . **$2 to $8**

Suits With Vests, for boys 9 years to 16

The new College jacket, smart cut, single breasted, with vest and short trousers, of blue and black serges, worsted cheviots and handsome fancy serges. We never offered better values than today in these suits . **$3 to $12**

Norfolk Suits, for boys 8 years to 16

Made from smart cheviots and plain blue and black cheviots and serges. Some very stunning Norfolks are made from Galashiels cheviots and with Knickerbocker breeches—nothing more stylish than these for the well dressed boy—some 40 styles of Norfolks from . **$2 to $9**

Double Breast Suits, for boys 8 years to 16

These two-piece suits have become exceedingly popular and the new jacket, cut like the young men's sacks, with long roll and smart lapels, makes this one of the most becoming suits a boy can wear—of cheviots and plain blue and black worsted cheviots . . **$2 to $5**

A Norfolk Bargain, Some Splendid Suits A Dollar Under Price

A new lot of all wool, neat dark brown mixed cheviot Norfolk suits. This season's new goods, nicely tailored, smart and stylish, regular price $4. We offer today for **$3**

Norfolk Special Bargain The best value we have ever offered in fine suits

All of a manufacturer's new sample Norfolks and all of the fine suits he had in stock. Very stylish, strictly all wool cheviots in the season's newest colors—splendidly tailored. The actual value of each suit is at least $5; many of these would be cheap at $6. All today marked **$3.75**

Everything Else for Boys

Boys' Separate Winter Trousers, 25c to 95c

Boys' New Corduroy Trousers.... 50c
4 years to 16. All riveted buttons.

Boys' Fancy Bosom Shirts..... 37½c

Boys' Winter Negligee Shirts, 45c to 75c

Boys' Trimmed Night Shirts..... 46c

Boys' Domet Night Shirts..... 46c

Boys' Flannel Blouses.....25c to 50c

Boys' Fleeced Underwear....23c to 48c

Boys' Natural Wool Underwear....48c

Boys' Heavy Jersey Underwear....48c

Boys' Heavy Sweaters..... 50c

Boys' All Wool Sweaters.....$1.00

Boys' Golf Caps.....12½c to 50c

Everything Else for Boys

Boys' Winter Caps.....25c to 50c

Boys' Automobile Caps..... 50c

Boys Tam O'Shanters..... 50c

Boys' Mohair Tams..... 65c

Boys' Heavy Leather Gloves, 23c to 45c

Boys' Heavy Scotch Gloves, 23c to 45c

Boys' Fine Street Gloves..... 95c

Boys' Wool Mittens.....10c to 23c

Boys' Fast Black Stockings...8c to 25c

Boys' Fine Silk Bows.....10c to 25c

Boys' Four-in-hand Scarfs..... 25c

Boys' Silk Windsors..... 25c

"PREVIOUS QUESTION"

Homer Turcotte Gets the Parliamentarians Going

Question Promises to Rival the Age of Ann—French Voters Fail to Agree on Councilmanic Candidates in Ward Seven—L. P. Turcotte a Candidate for Alderman—Other Political Gossip

Janitor Homer Turcotte blew into the office of City Messenger Pattee at City Hall, yesterday and cried out: "I want to ask you a question."

"She's 18," promptly replied the city messenger. "I know the whole family. I remember when both she and Mary were born. The old man used to drive stage down to Canaan."

"What are you talking about?" exclaimed Homer in wonder at his boss' queer break.

"Weren't you about to ask me how old Ann is?" queried the messenger.

"Not at all," replied the elongated keeper of the municipal key-ring. "I wanted to ask you something about the previous question." And then Homer explained himself.

It seems that at a meeting of a club to which Homer and his father, L. P. Turcotte, belong, the latter being the presiding officer, a motion was made by one of the members to which another member immediately offered an amendment and then followed a lengthy discussion of the subject pro and con in which nearly all present participated. Finally, to put an end to the mix-up, a member moved the previous question and it was carried by a strong affirmative vote.

When the elder Turcotte had declared the motion on the previous question carried, he proceeded to put the motion as it was originally made, ignoring the amendment.

Homer, for once in his life, disagreed with his father, for he couldn't see by what right the amendment was choked off.

"What kind of rules are you working under, republican city committee?" asked Homer, thinking he'd jolly his dad.

"That's according to Hoyle or Cushing my boy," replied the elder Turcotte. "Cushing says that when the previous question is carried affirmatively the main question must be put at once and the original motion is the main question."

"I hold that the amendment must be considered first and I'll prove it when I get to City Hall," said Homer.

So, yesterday Homer went from top to bottom of City Hall asking his question over and over again and for every man who agreed with him he found another who agreed with his father and there was great poring through the volumes of Cushing that are kept at City Hall.

As luck would have it, Cushing's manual is very indefinite on the matter, the little amendment not being provided for in the manual and to make matters worse the expert parliamentarians of the municipal building disagree. Some claim that the original motion is the main question, while others claim that an amendment having been properly made and seconded becomes for the time being the main question, having been offered before the previous question was called for.

Now that Ann's age has been successfully figured out, let all the heavy thinkers get together and figure out whether Homer had better stick close to the rulings of his father or whether Louis had better get a few points from his son.

The Sun will print any solutions that its readers may care to submit on this interesting question.

But getting back once more to the main question without further debate, Mr. Louis P. Turcotte is generally mentioned throughout ward seven as a republican aldermanic candidate from that ward and he is said to possess the backing necessary to land him the nomination. His only opponent is ex-Councilman Eben T. Stafford, but as Eben has been out of the game for a few years there is some doubt as to his ability to get back. James O'Sullivan is mentioned as a probable candidate but after the "bump" he received in the caucuses a year ago it is doubtful if he will take another chance. Mr. Turcotte is vice-chairman of the republican city committee and a great hustler among the French-American voters. He is a leading Hayes lieutenant and "Bill" in return for past favors will probably take off his coat for him.

Down town last night I overheard a funny "Irish bull" as the result of a little spellbinding. A friend of Purchasing Agent Rourke's was asking an elderly Irish gentleman to vote for Fred at the coming caucuses.

"Sure I will," replied the old man, "and he'll be elected too. Any man that won by 2600 last year don't need to fear agin."

"Yes, but you know you must nominate him in the caucuses first," explained his friend.

"O, the devil with the caucuses! Sure, he'll be elected anyway," was the answer.

Joseph G. Murphy, the well-known basso of the Mozart quartet, is a democratic candidate for common council in ward nine. If music hath charms to soothe the savage voter's breast, "Joe" should have easy winning.

"Why is it that so many doctors run for the school board?" inquires a correspondent.

Perhaps it's because that department needs a remedy more than any other. The city auditor and the appropriations committee can see this joke, all right.

Ex-Councilman Harry Swan of Ward Six will be a candidate for aldermanic honors in that ward at the republican caucuses.

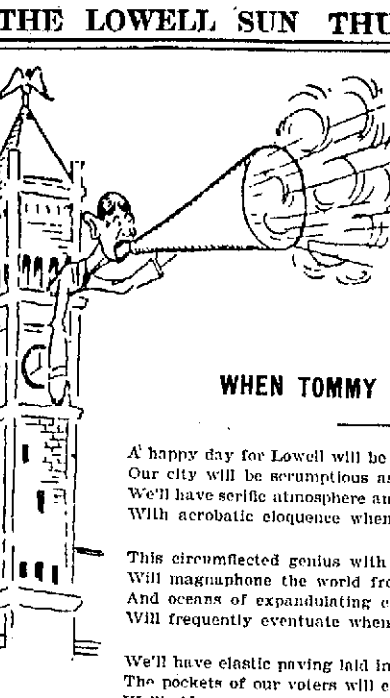
Twenty five names were added to the voting list, yesterday, making a total of 47, by wards as follows: Ward One, 3; Two, 5; Three, 0; Four, 6; Five, 3; Seven, 0; Eight, 1; Nine, 1.

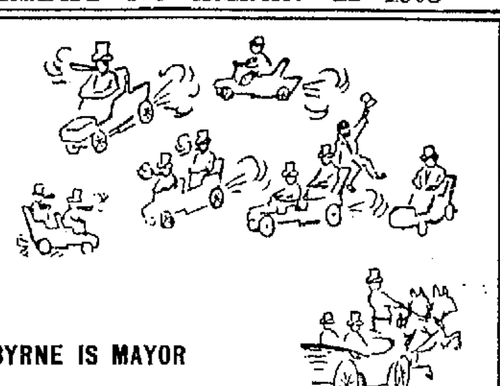
The Citoyens Americains met last night and talked politics at length. Three of the councilmanic candidates, Dr. Gagnon, Leon Marcotte and Omer Allard, were present.

The idea of calling a meeting of French voters of the ward has been abandoned and every French councilmanic candidate will have to take his chances in the caucuses. They are Dr. A. J. Gagnon, Leon Marcotte, Prosper Cossette, Omer Allard, Wilfred Paradis, Jr.

Nearly 300 voters of Ward Two met last night in the Green schoolhouse in the interest of Hon. Peter J. Brady. T. Gallagher presided and Jere Murphy acted as secretary. The voters present pledged themselves to work for Mr. Brady's success. After enthusiastic speeches by prominent democrats the meeting adjourned to meet Friday evening, Nov. 13, at 7.45.

The Ward Eight Brady supporters met last evening at the Lincoln school, about one hundred being present. Plans were outlined for registration. John J. Griffin was elected president and Edward F. Gormley, secretary. The club will meet again Monday evening.





WHEN TOMMY BYRNE IS MAYOR

A happy day for Lowell will be dawning very soon,
Our city will be scrumptious as perpetuated noon.
We'll have serific atmosphere and magnaphonic air
With aerobatic eloquence when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

This circumflected genius with serificated power,
Will magnaphone the world from our municipated tower;
And oceans of expandulating calorific air
Will frequently eventuate when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

We'll have elastic paving laid in congelated hash,
The pockets of our voters will expandulate with cash,
We'll ride gratultorious through subways in the air,
And frusticate the trolley lines when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

Our taxes will be liquified and water will be free;
With licenses for every one without a license fee,
Free hacks and ottomobileens will take us everywhere,
And wages will be doubled twice when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

We'll build magnacious swimming baths and hortunry parks,
Extinctuate grade crossing tracks despite the railroad sharks,
We'll have a superflushiousness of joy beyond compare;
We'll all be prospatorious when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

The transcendental brighteousness of mighty Tommy's reign,
Will give the haughty Arkwright Club a big stomachic pain;
The guilty will collapsicate and grovel in despair,
The mighty will prostrationize when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

Our famous bibliopolists are destined to surprise;
This coming lexicographer will open all their eyes,
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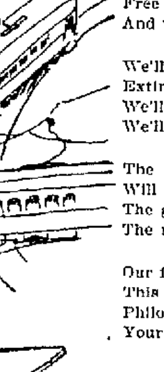
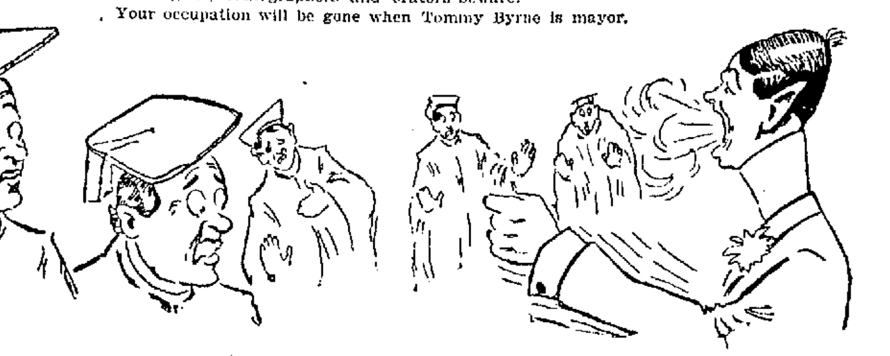
Your occupation will be gone when Tommy Byrne is mayor.





SCORES CLEVELAND

Bryan Gets After the Former President

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—A large number of friends and admirers gathered at the Majestic's pier yesterday to bid bon voyage to William Jennings Bryan, who sailed on his first visit to Europe.

In an interview before sailing, Mr. Bryan paid his respects to Grover Cleveland in no uncertain terms. In the opinion of Bryan, Cleveland is the bugaboo of the democratic party.

In his interview, speaking of Cleveland, Bryan said:

"To carry out a bargain with Wall street, he made the White House the rendezvous of syndicates and exploiters and administered the treasury department in a manner that makes the record of the unjust steward of Bible fame seem parsimonious by comparison.

"His record as president was such a stench in the nostrils of his party that even with the patronage of that great office and with the aid of the money magnates, whose treasuries he enriched he could not secure an indorsement from the convention. In the campaign following, when democracy was engaged in a gigantic struggle with plutocracy, he formed the salaried officers whom he could coerce into a band of Hessians and attacked the rear of the democratic party while the republicans waged war from the front.

"When the election was over he was the chief figure at a high-priced banquet, and gloated over the defeat of the party that raised him from obscurity to fame. Since that time he has lost no opportunity to stand in sight of the public, beat his breast and proclaim his political superiority.

"He has done more business on less capital than any man who has ever occupied so high an office. If his democracy were capitalized at his own estimate it would give us an example of water stock, and then, measured by the teachings of Jefferson and Jackson, it would make the water-logged enterprise of the trust promoters seem bona fide and honorable. This is a conservative estimate of his political worth. But I am just leaving America and haven't time to do the subject justice. I may enter into the matter more at length when I return."

"Then you do not seem to think that Mr. Cleveland has a chance for the nomination next year?"

"No. He has never had a chance since 1896, and he is so old now that if he repented in sackcloth and ashes—and it would bull the market on both if he undertook it—he would be overtaken by decrepitude before he could bring forth works meet for repentence. I doubt if he could carry a state in the Union.

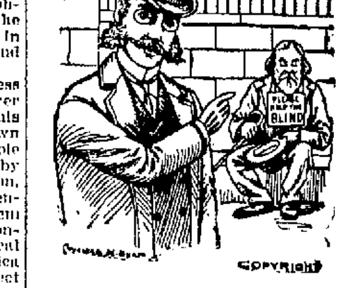
"The people who talk about nominating him are either indulging in humor or they have very little knowledge of the sentiment that exists among the rank and file of the democratic party. The republican papers which are praising Mr. Cleveland now and urging his nomination are the very papers that accused him of filling the land with soup-houses and tramps and questioned the honesty of his contracts with the bond brokers."

"Would you accept another nomination for the presidency?" Mr. Bryan was asked.

"I would not. I am not and shall not be a candidate. I expect to fight for democratic principles for the next 25 years; that will take me through six presidential campaigns. I will be 68 years of age then and that's not very old for a man who gets as much good advice as I do.

"I think that all real democrats will present a united front in the next national campaign. Some men who are not true democrats may not take their stand with the party. I believe the party has a good chance of success next year too.

"No one can decide who the logical candidate is or will be. The trouble about logical candidates," and Mr. Bryan smiled sadly as his voice took a reminiscent tone, "the trouble about logical candidates is getting people to accept your idea of logic."



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MATRIMONIAL

The Buckingham, Eng., Express of recent date, contains the following wedding notice:

On Wednesday afternoon, the Church of S. S. Peter and Paul, Buckingham, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, the contracting parties being Mr. George Frederick Marshall, third son of the late Councillor J. Marshall, and Mrs. Marshall of Buckingham, and Miss Alice Maud Kitchener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kitchener of Well street, Buckingham.

There was a large attendance at church at the time fixed for the ceremony, and the bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Samuel Kitchener, who gave her away.

She was prettily attired in a dress of voile de soir, trimmed with silk and pillow point lace, and wore a bridal veil, surmounted with a wreath of orange blossoms.

The ladies in attendance as bridesmaids were Miss Annie Kitchener, (sister), and Miss Annie Kitchener (niece), who wore dresses of cream crepe delaine, trimmed with lace and Paris insertion and ribbon. Two little girls, Miss Edith Kitchener and Miss Lucy Turner, also acted as bridesmaids, and these looked very pretty in frocks of pale blue crepe delaine, trimmed with Paris lace.

The whole of the bridesmaids wore hats of white felt, trimmed with pale blue ribbon and foliage, and also wore gold brooches, the gift of the bridegroom.

The bride carried a lively shower bouquet, and the two elder bridesmaids bouquets of chrysanthemums, whilst the little girls carried baskets of choice flowers.

Mr. Tom Marshall, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man. A reception was afterwards held at the residence of the bride's mother, and at 5.40 the happy couple left Buckingham station en route for Brighton, where the honeymoon will be spent.

The bride is a sister of Mr. George Kitchener, proprietor of "The Wonder" on Central street.

FRENCH—COLBY.

The marriage of Mr. George A. French and Miss Elizabeth E. Colby took place yesterday at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Arthur D. Colby, Rev. James F. Allen performing the ceremony. Grace A. Colby was bridesmaid, and A. D. Colby was best man. The wedding march was played by Mr. Luther Gilmore. A very informal reception was held, after which a dainty repast was served by Mrs. A. D. Colby assisted by Misses Hazel Gilmore, Ethel Smith and Alice Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. French will be at home to their friends after June 1, Warren avenue, Chelmsford Centre.

DOWNEY—McMAHON.

Mr. Michael Downey and Miss Mary McMahon were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I., at the Immaculate Conception parochial residence yesterday. The bride was attended by Miss Mamie Brown, an intimate friend of the bride, and the best man was Michael McMahon, brother of the bride. The bride wore an exquisite gown of white China silk with pearl trimmings, and the bridesmaid a gown of white silk trimmed with chiffon. She carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the future home of the happy couple, 67 South Whipple street.

HOGAN—SCOLLANE.

The marriage of Mr. Patrick Hogan and Miss Mary Scollane took place yesterday afternoon at St. Patrick's parochial residence, Rev. John J. McHugh officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Bridget Scolane and Mr. James Hogan was best man.

SHEA—CONNELL.

Mr. James A. Shea and Miss Ellen M. Connell were joined in wedlock at St. Patrick's parochial residence yesterday by Rev. John J. McHugh, and a quiet wedding reception followed at the bride's home. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Gertrude M. Connell. Both looked charming in gowns of white Swiss muslin. The bride carried a bouquet of bride roses and the bridesmaid carried pinks. The groom was attended by his cousin, Mr. Joseph Collins. After the ceremony they repaired to the home of the bride, 6 Loring street, where supper was served. Only immediate relatives and friends were present, owing to recent bereavement in the family. Mr. and Mrs. Shea left on the 6.20 o'clock train for Boston on a brief wedding tour, and will be at home to friends after Dec. 1 at 22 Bleachery street. The couple were the recipients of many beautiful and costly gifts.

TRULL—PICKERING.

Mr. William Taylor Trull, local agent of the New York Life Insurance company for Middlesex county, and Miss Nellie C. Pickering, daughter of J. W. C. Pickering, both of Tewksbury, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride in Andover street, by Rev. G. E. Martin, D. D., in the presence of many relatives and friends.

Miss Virginia Pickering Harbottle of Brooklyn, N. Y., a niece of the bride, served as flower girl. The bride wore her traveling costume of brown velvet. The rooms were beautifully decorated with autumn foliage, vines and flowers. The gifts were many and very lovely, that of the groom to his bride being a diamond ring set in pink pearls.

Mr. and Mrs. Trull left the city by an afternoon train and after a short tour will reside at the Jesse N. Trull residence in Andover street, North Tewksbury.

WILLIAM O'BRIEN

SAYS THAT HE IS FIRM IN RESIGNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Nov. 12—The Cork branch of the United Irish league recently requested William O'Brien to withdraw his resignation as member of Parliament, but he has refused to do so. He says he wishes to leave his enemies free scope to carry on their opposition to his policy.

Mr. O'Brien is too impulsive. Besides he is in poor health and needs a rest.

AFTER 20 YEARS

ZION GUARD RETURNS TO HIS DESERTED CHILDREN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DANBURY, Ct., Nov. 12—Penitent and seeking forgiveness, Christopher McCormick, who had been looked upon as dead for 20 years, came here this week in the uniform of an officer of a Zion guard, searching for his five children, whom he deserted when they were young.

McCormick was a hat maker here 25 years ago. When his wife died and left him with the children to care for, he ran away. It was reported that he had been killed in the West.

Mrs. Mary L. Ward, engaged in charitable work here, saw that the children were provided with comfortable homes. One secured a college education, another is the wife of a prosperous Waterbury man, and the others are living in Connecticut towns.

McCormick, bearded and gray, called upon Mrs. Ward. "Peace be with you," was his salutation, "I'm come from Zion city to do the bidding of our overseer and seek forgiveness for the wrong I've done you and my children."

He made known his identity and begged Mrs. Ward to tell him where he might find his daughter. He said he met with an accident in a mill in Illinois five years ago, and was prayed over by Dowie's band. For years he labored in Zion City. He met his children here, was forgiven and is on his way back to his overseer to report. He has a wife and child in Zion City.

Convinced by Printed Testimony of the hundreds of the cured, Mrs. Benz of 118 E. 8th street, New York, who was for years a great sufferer from catarrh, procured two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder and it effected an absolute cure in a very short while. One puff through the blower will clear the head and stop headache. Sold by Falls & Burkinshaw.—8.

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AN AWFUL CRASH

Five People Killed in Railroad Accident

By Associated Press to The Sun

ERIE, Pa., Nov. 12.—A terrible accident happened early last night on the Erie Traction company line, which runs between here and Cambridge Springs, in which five persons were instantly killed and several badly injured, two fatally. The accident happened one mile south of McKeen or about 11 miles from this city. The dead:

MRS. BARTLETT, Edenboro.

MRS. SHERWOOD, Cambridge Springs.

MR. and MRS. JAMESON McKEAN.

Another woman, name not known.

The fatally injured:

Motorman Anderson.

C. H. Davis, a traveling salesman, Goshen, Ind.

The accident was caused by the brakes on a car of gravel becoming loose and allowing it to run out from the side track on which it had been placed, to the main track, where there was a heavy down-grade. While running at a high rate of speed it met and almost crashed through the passenger car which left Erie shortly after six o'clock, and which was filled with passengers.

STONED THE FLAG

Trenton Italians Objected to National Emblem

By Associated Press to The Sun

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 12.—The residence of Dr. O. Scarlata, Italian consul in this city, was attacked here by a number of Italians and stoned yesterday and the doctor himself was threatened with bodily harm. The occasion of the assault was the displaying in front of the doctor's residence of an Italian flag in commemoration of some Italian national event. The Italians demanded that the flag be taken down and emphasized their demand by throwing stones. A policeman finally took down the flag and the crowd dispersed. Subsequently it was replaced but there was no further trouble.

BAPTIST CONGRESS

HELD SESSION IN PHILADELPHIA YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—The Baptist congress, in session here yesterday, heard the report of the committee appointed yesterday to consider the advisability of calling a national association of the Baptists of America. Rev. Russell H. Conwell, of this city, reported for the committee that they recommended the appointment of a special committee to confer with the national Baptist society, North and South for the purpose of securing a simultaneous meeting of all those bodies in the city of Washington, D. C., in 1904. The committee also reported in favor of so changing the condition of the Baptist congress as to make it more fully represent all the Baptists of America.

"What change, if any, is demanded in the prayer meeting?" was the subject of discussion at yesterday's session.

Papers were read upon the subject by Rev. Curtiss Lee Laws, Baltimore, and Rev. Dr. Herbert E. Wise, Norwich, Conn.

Brief addresses followed.

Last night's session was devoted to a discussion of the question "Does trade unionism imperil liberty?"

Papers were contributed by Prof. H. Heath Bawden, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and Rev. Edward Holyoke, Providence, R. I.

"Trades unionism does imperil liberty," said Rev. Edward Holyoke, "but so does an automobile. The peril from either lies not in the thing but depends on the way it is run. The cure of boycotting is not in the abolition of the union, but in the evolution of the laborer. The escape from this social peril and from every other peril lies by way of the slow, spiral ascent of man to manhood."

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MAYOR COLLINS

Showed Union Card to Labor Delegates

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12—At the banquet last night of the A. F. of L., everyone present, with the exception of Michael P. Curran, the mayor's private secretary, was a member of some labor organization. Mayor Collins presided and he and his secretary were the only city officials attending.

The mayor exhibited a card of the Woodworkers' union, issued to him many years ago when he worked at the trade.

Over six hundred of the delegates to the convention attended and there were no invited guests. The dinner was prepared by a union cook and served by union waiters.

The only reporters present belonged to the Newspapermen's union. The menu bore the union label and the liquors served came from union shops.

In the speeches no reference was made to political topics. Mayor Collins, President Gompers and John Mitchell were greeted with enthusiasm.

The banquet was tendered the delegates by the city of Boston. During the evening Mayor Collins made a personal gift to the federation, through President Gompers, of a gavel made from a timber used in the construction of the original Faneuil hall.

SMITH DISQUALIFIED

AND CANNOT PLAY WITH U. OF P.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—A. T. Smith, the star fullback of the University of Penna. football team, who played in the game against Harvard last Saturday despite the protest entered by Harvard's captain that he was ineligible, was yesterday disqualified by the faculty at their conference. The following statement was issued by the faculty committee of which Vice-Provost Edgar F. Smith is chairman:

"The faculty on athletics of the University of Penna. at a meeting held today decided on the information received within the previous twenty-four hours that A. T. Smith having played as a representative of state college in two games after the state college-Penna. game, was ineligible to represent Penna. this season and he has therefore been disqualified.

"A note explaining the circumstances has been sent to the colleges against whom Penna. has played this season, expressing the regret of the committee that it had not earlier been informed on what its action is based."

The two games Smith is alleged to have played on the state college after he took out matriculation papers at Penna., were with Yale and Annapolis.

NORTH BILLERICA

The North Billerica Cricket club's annual meeting was held Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Robert Tivey; vice president, H. B. Ellis; secretary, Frank Townson; treasurer, E. J. Garner; management committee, Robert Tivey, Frank Tournson, D. J. Macdonald, J. T. Whitehead, H. B. Ellis, E. J. Garner, Wm. McBride and John Brown; auditing committee, D. J. Macdonald, J. T. Whitehead, Wm. Ballington; trustees, Wm. McBride and John Brown.

The treasurer's report showed the financial standing to be in a most satisfactory condition.

It was decided to have a concert and ball during the winter, all arrangements for the same being left in the hands of the management committee. Outside of the usual business of the meeting the two chief topics of interest were the matter of raising the present rate of dues from 50c to $1 and the advisability of continuing in the Merrimack Valley League. There not being time to discuss these matters thoroughly it was decided to have a special meeting Monday evening, Nov. 16, to take final action on the same.

The date of the concert and ball will be announced as soon as the committee get together. A large attendance is looked for next Monday evening.

The North Billerica council, 1323, R. A., held a special meeting Wednesday evening to take action relative to the death of the late Thomas McChisky.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BURLINGTON, Vt., Nov. 12.—A special to the Free Press from Brandon, says:

"Selectman Edgar Frost committed suicide today by shooting. It is thought that he was temporarily insane.

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DON'T WANT THEM

Wigginville Residents are Opposed

TO ERECTION OF MAGAZINES IN SOUTH LOWELL

Protest Made at Last Night's Meeting

The residents of Wigginville are up in arms against the erection of powder magazines in South Lowell.

They held a meeting in the old school house last evening and adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, The United States Cartridge company proposes to build new magazines for the storage of explosives in Billerica, which location is near to the Tewksbury line and near to residences in Tewksbury, and therefore dangerous to residents of the town, both to persons and property, and

Whereas, it is probably intended to transport such explosives over and along the streets of Tewksbury, further endangering the lives and property of its citizens

Therefore, be it resolved by citizens of Tewksbury, assembled in public meeting, that they consider the storage of explosives at or near such point and the transportation of explosives over the streets of the town to be dangerous to lives and property and tending to diminish the value of property and prevent the development of parts of the town, and a nuisance that if possible, should be prevented by the town.

Voted, that petitions be circulated and presented to the selectmen of the town, requesting them to take such action, (by injunction if necessary) as may, if possible, prevent such storage and transportation of explosives."

The meeting was called to order by Selectman Catherwood, who was elected chairman, with Mr. Richardson as secretary. The meeting adjourned, subject to the call of the chair.

TWO KILLED

AS THE RESULT OF AN EXPLOSION OF GAS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RIDGETOWN, Ont., Nov. 12—An explosion of a small gas plant in the Logan house here last night was attended with fatal results. G. W. Atkinson, travelling representative of the London Advertiser, was instantly killed, and R. Weir, a boarder, died of his injuries last night. Five others were dangerously injured. The hotel was completely wrecked.

COUNT CASSINI RETURNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador to this country, who has been in Russia on leave of absence, returned to this city last night.

HARVEY NOMINATED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALTHAM, Mass., Nov. 12—John L. Harvey was nominated for mayor by the republicans last night.

BROKE THE BANKS

AMUSING AND PROFITABLE NIGHT AT MT. VERNON CHURCH.

A most interesting and unique occasion was observed at the Mt. Vernon F. B. church last evening. Different members of the Sunday school had been given banks in which to collect a sum of money to contribute to the church fund. There were also class banks and a friendly rivalry had sprung up between classes, especially between the Star Bible class and Deacon H. R. Nixon's class.

Mr. G. L. Huntoon, the special guest of the evening, was chosen to break the banks. He proved himself a most interesting speaker and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience gathered in the vestry. The money was counted by the committee and the individual bank containing the largest amount was that of Earnest Pensley of the junior department. The class bank containing the most money was that of Deacon H. R. Nixon's Sunday school class. The bank held $65.51. The Star Bible class bank contained $8.10. The sum total was $94.24. The guest of the evening made the sum an even $100. The special guests of the evening were Mrs. Grace Millin Ryder and husband of Providence, R. I. After the money was counted the committee in charge served a collation in the class room. The committee consisted of Deacon Nixon's class, Mr. Clayton R. Kimball, chairman, and Miss Alice Pendexter with Mr. Roy Gunter, Miss Susie Burhanan and Miss E. Laura Moore of the Star Bible class.

Next Sunday banks will be given out to be opened at the end of the next quarter.

JOE CHERRY WON

IN BOUT WITH TOMMY FELTZ AT DETROIT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DETROIT, Nov. 12—Joe Cherry of Saginaw, Mich., by getting the decision over Tommy Feltz of Brooklyn, N. Y., earned the right to face Frank Nell, champion bantam weight pugilist of the world. The referee's decision pleased the big crowd, but Feltz declared it rank robbery.

TALK ON CHINA

AT MEETING OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church held a very well attended meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George H. Taylor in Twelfth street. Mrs. H. L. Tibbetts, the president, conducted a brief devotional service, after which Miss Ida Goucher took charge and made the meeting very interesting by a personally conducted trip, and by having several ladies present impersonate different missionaries. The subject was "China, the self-centred Empire." Mrs. F. A. Bowen sang a solo, "In Far Cathay," and Mrs. Theodore Gardner presented current events. At the close of the program Mrs. Taylor, assisted by Mrs. W. H. Pepin, Miss Adelaide E. Noyes and Miss Emily Simpson, served very dainty refreshments.

COMPANY ORGANIZED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BATH, Me., Nov. 12—The syndicate of Bath and Popham capitalists who several days ago acquired the Bath & Popham division of the Eastern Steamship company, organized yesterday with a capital of $20,000 as the Popham Beach Steamboat company.

BROKE HIS NECK

SUPPOSED TO HAVE FALLEN OVER RAILING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Nov. 12—Arthur C. Stone, 48, was found with his neck broken in the hallway of an apartment building on Irving street, where he had rooms, last night. He is supposed to have fallen over the railing from the floor above.

AGAINST BOXING

MEMBERS OF THREE CLUBS SUMMONED INTO COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Nov. 12—Twelve men, members of the three boxing clubs in this city, have been summoned into court Friday on the charge of promoting public boxing exhibitions.

BET ON GARDNER

Lowell Boy's Advice to John Stack

GEORGE IS CONFIDENT HE WILL WIN

He Will Invest Money in Lowell

George Gardner has written to his brother-in-law, John J. Stack, advising him to place all the money he can on him (Gardner) at the prevailing odds in his bout with Fitzsimmons. He says that he is convinced that he will defeat Fitz, providing he gets a fair shake in the matter of referee.

In his letter George says that he weighs 170 pounds and is in perfect condition. He is training at H. Metzner's training quarters at Larkspur, Cal.

"I see no reason why I can't win with an even break," he writes. "The only thing I have to fear is the referee. So far as Fitz is concerned I think that I will give him all that is coming to him. I believe that on the day of the fight the betting will be about 10 to 8 on Fitz, but that is not worrying me at all. I will step into the ring, confident and fit to put up the battle of my life. If Fitz wins it will be only after he has given me a severe beating as I will never give up. If I do not miss my mark Bob is the one who will have to take the beating though."

In his letter George requests that his brother Billy do no more fighting until he gets home. Then he proposes to set up Billy in business.

George will leave for home immediately after the fight with Fitz and he proposes to secure an interest in the hotel business. He also asks Mr. Stack to have an eye out for some property for him as he is desirous of investing his money in Lowell. He figures on getting about $15,000 out of the Fitz fight. He will also have an interest in the pictures that will be taken and will be shown throughout the country.

THE WAY OF HAPPINESS.

I have no money to speak of—never had; I have had to work hard, and yet have had a very happy life; and I will venture to say that I now get more pleasure out of the little wages which my readers of The Interior pay me for writing them than any rich man in the city gets out of his tens of thousands or millions. It is not in the way of sociability, though. There is none of the genuine article there—no time for it. I would as soon sit down on a pile of skulls and have a sociable time with the osseous remains of the dead as to expect it in Chicago. A happy life is to be had by making rational enjoyment one of the objects of life. And that is not in money-getting. It is not in fashion or display. It is in trying to make one's self and others happy.

I go fishing and camping and strolling, and do not care a continental either for wealth, or for wealthy people because they are wealthy. I wear loose and comfortable clothes, take plenty of exercise, refuse to let my mind dwell on unpleasant things, never worry about lost opportunities or money losses, keep out of the way of cranks and quarrelsome people, and try to see the bright or the humorous side of things, cultivate love for my kindred, and crack my little chestnut of a joke. I never read any of the crimes or scandal columns of the dailies, choose cheerful books and get out of the way of whiners and growlers and scandalmengers. One can have a happy life, happy as the day is long, by making happiness one of the main purposes of living. The foundation of this is good health, and everybody can have good health by starting out in time for it. It is to be had by the moderate eating of simple and wholesome food, which soon becomes a luxury to the palate; a clean skin, outdoor exercise every day, without regard to the weather, except in the way of warm and dry clothing; keeping the mind cheerful; keeping the heart kindly; avoiding anxiety and longing about business affairs; contentment with one's lot.—William C. Gray, in "Musings by Campfire and Wayside."

ADAMS

ONE SQUARE TABLE

In the display of dining tables there is one design that we have marked at a price of $10.00, and by reason of its being superior in many ways to the others about the same price we think if you want a medium priced extension table it will meet all requirements.

Adams & Co.,

Furniture and Carpets.

174 CENTRAL STREET

Appleton Bank Block.

CRICKET NOTES.

The U. S. Bunting foot ball club will meet the Andover foot ball team on the grounds at Wigginville Saturday when a good game is sure to result.

The Andovers have not been defeated this season and the Buntings intend to do the trick on Saturday.

The following will be the Bunting lineup: Goal, R. Hinchwhistle, capt.; backs, Ted Nelson and J. Marriott; half backs, M. Casey, W. Concannon and T. Gallagher; forwards, right wing, J. Halligan, E. Nelson; centre, G. Allen; left wing, W. Cotton and H. Flynn. Reserves, D. Allen and T. Guerdon. Linesman, William Nelson. Kickoff at 2.45 p. m.

At the meeting of the executive board of the Buntings on Monday night it was decided not to hold a banquet this year. A social will be held in the clubhouse on Saturday night, Nov. 21, when the prizes for the best batting and bowling averages will be awarded.

EDUCATIONAL CLUB.

The Educational club held a session Tuesday afternoon. Current events were considered, including facts about Radium and the Panama question, and Mrs. E. J. Clark read several very interesting letters from Mrs. Arthur Dow, who, with her husband, is travelling in Japan. Plans were perfected for an entertainment and sale, to be given by the club at 228 Worthen street on December 17 and 18, for the benefit of the Faith Home for children. The wedding was announced of Mr. Leroy C. Horton and Miss Gertrude Mae Wilcox, the latter a former well known music teacher of Lowell, both of Brooklyn, N. Y.

HEALTH GIVEN AWAY FREE SATURDAY

TO-NI-TA has met with such wonderful success that Dr. Lorentz, the discoverer, is anxious that every one shall have an opportunity to test its wonderful curative powers, and has made special arrangements by which everyone in Lowell and surrounding country may get a free sample bottle of TO-NI-TA and a copy of his medical book, "A Beautiful Story of Life." Free Saturday.

TO-NI-TA
MUCOUS MEMBRANE BITTERS
CURES
CATARRH, BRONCHITIS & CONSUMPTION

HOW TO GET TO-NI-TA FREE

Write your name and address on a card or piece of paper, mention having seen this liberal offer in The Sun, present the card Saturday, November 14, between 9 a. m. and 9 p. m. at The Sun office, Merrimack Square, and you will receive a sample bottle of To-ni-ta and a copy of "The Beautiful Story of Life," free of charge.

If you are sick and run-down, or if any of your family is sick, come early and get a sample bottle of TO-NI-TA and see how quickly you will feel the benefit.

PITTSBURG LADY CURED

Miss Lillian McMahon says: "TO-NI-TA cured me of Catarrh."

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 13, 1903.

Dear Doctor:—For the past six years I have suffered from Catarrh of the Head and Bronchial Tubes; caught cold with every change of the weather and suffered from intense headaches. Was under treatment six months in the year, but with no permanent cure.

A friend asked me to try TO-NI-TA, and after taking half of the first bottle I felt better than I had for several years. I have now finished my second bottle and feel perfectly well and all trace of Catarrh is gone.

LILLIAN McMAHON,
Hotel Duquesne.

YOUR DOCTOR KNOWS TO-NI-TA

Every doctor in Lowell has had a copy of the formula of To-ni-ta and knows it is a scientific combination of the vital principles of the most powerful healing herbs known to medicine. Your doctor will tell you it is free from opiates and will cure any case of Catarrh of the head, throat, lungs, stomach, kidneys, bladder or female organs. It is a strong tonic, stimulant and bitters.

To-ni-ta acts directly on the mucous membrane, it kills the disease germs and restores the tissues to a normal, healthy condition; it purifies and stimulates the blood and causes it to course more quickly through the veins; it quiets the nerves; brings restful sleep and brings new life to every part of the human body.

Get a Free Sample Bottle Saturday

If you do not get a sample bottle and booklet Saturday, write the Lorentz Medical Co., Flat Iron Building, New York, for a copy of Dr. Lorentz's medical treatise, "The Beautiful Story of Life," and free advice.

To-ni-ta at druggists, or direct, $1.00 a bottle. Ask your druggist for it. Take no substitute.

Lowell trade supplied by Boston jobbers.

$23,000 A WEEK

Will be Lost by Mill Operatives

WHAT CUT DOWN IN FALL RIVER MEANS

President Golden Surprised at Action

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Nov. 12.—John Golden, president of the United Textile Workers of America, expressed himself yesterday as surprised at the announcement of the new schedule. He said he had heard many rumors recently but had not believed that the manufacturers would really cut the wages of the operatives. He had thought that the manufacturers had long since learned that such a procedure would be futile and the result far from satisfactory. He added:

"I believe a reduction in wages always reacts unfavorably upon the manufacturers. It is hard to tell what their help will do. The operatives have struggled along after having endured hardships and privations necessitated by the curtailment made in different mills, and if a cut down is forced upon them now, it may serve to embitter them and call forth strenuous action."

Mr. Golden said he appreciated the condition of the cotton market, but he could not see how the cutting of wages would help matters, as it would have a tendency to cut the price of cloth and not to strengthen the market. With prices down and the market dull, manufacturers would be in always identically the same position that they now occupy and so might argue that a further reduction would be the only relief for the new situation. He said he had not been formally notified of the action of the mill agents, but that a meeting of the emergency committee and also the textile council would be held soon. There will hardly be time for the usual formalities on the part of the operatives before the new wage schedule goes into effect. When matters of this sort come up the textile council meets and the members suggest that action be taken by the individual unions. After the unions have met and taken action the textile council reconvenes and carries out the wishes of the majority as expressed by a vote of the different unions. In this instance it is likely that special meetings will be held and even then it is doubtful if definite action by the operatives can be reached before November 23 at which time the new schedule will become operative.

It is estimated that the reduction in wages will cost the operatives in this city something over $23,000 weekly. This amount covers the loss to operatives in all the cloth mills, including the Iron Works, but does not include the Globe Yarn, Kerr Thread and Sanford Spinning Co. mills.

NEW BEDFORD NEXT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Nov. 12.—No notices of reduction of wages in the local cotton mills were posted today, but there is a feeling that it will come soon, as New Bedford usually follows Fall River's lead, and during this week, two sessions of association of mill treasurers having been held this week. The secretary says no action has been taken on the wage question. Business here is known to be very bad, and all indications point to a reduction.

HAS CATALEPSY

FALL RIVER MAN LOSES ALL SENSE OF PAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Nov. 12.—Thomas E. Read, a veteran of the Spanish war, is at the city hospital, afflicted with catalepsy, one of the strangest diseases known to medical science. It is purely nervous in its character, and its effects are such that during the attacks to which Read is subject, he is lifeless as a wax doll. At these times he is entirely unconscious and his muscles are rigid. If an arm be extended, or his head raised from the bed, he remains in that position during the "spell," whether it be for minutes or for hours. Read is not only unconscious of effort, but there is no feeling of fatigue when he has recovered consciousness. While in a cataleptic state, he is practically dead. There is an entire local anaesthesia and pin pricks or other local irritations produce no effect upon him. Not one of the similar cases known to medical science have proved fatal, and Read appears to feel no ill effects from the recurrence of the attacks.

The sick man was sunstruck in the Philippines, recovered and went to China. He took part in the siege of Tien Tsin, and with the column advanced to Pekin. He saw the Japanese contingent blow up the gate of the Holy City and a few hours later was again sent to the hospital, suffering with a bullet wound in the thigh. After the Chinese expedition he was discharged and sent to the United States. His home is in this city. Recently he fell in the street, and was taken to the hospital, where he was unconscious for 14 hours.

SALE AND SUPPER.

A well attended sale and supper under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Immanuel Baptist church was held at the home of Mrs. Gillespie, 121 London street, last night. About 200 were present, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. During the evening various games were played, and vocal and instrumental solos were rendered. About $60 was realized.

LEAVES LOWELL

Thomas M. Bolton Goes to Arizona

AND WILL LOCATE THERE PERMANENTLY

Tendered Reception by the Knights of Columbus

Thomas M. Bolton, for many years a resident of Lowell, and for the past 30 years conducting a profitable harness business on Market street, leaves today for Phoenix, Arizona, where he intends to locate permanently.

For some years past Mr. Bolton has been a sufferer with asthma and while on a trip for his health to Arizona last year, not only found complete relief in that climate, but also received a flattering business offer.

He has been long considering the proposition of going west, finding it particularly hard to break the many ties of friendship grown firmer as the years have rolled by. But finally he decided to go and will be accompanied by his wife and his son, Thomas, the latter a student at the Pape School of Art in Boston, while his daughter will remain in this city.

Last evening Mr. Bolton was tendered a farewell reception by the Knights of Columbus, of which organization he is a prominent member, and a large gathering of Knights were present to wish him success in his new field of labor.

In the early part of the evening Mr. Bolton was introduced by Mr. Robert Thomas, the presiding officer, and he made a neat speech, expressing with deep feeling his regret at leaving the city and his fellow members. At the conclusion of his remarks Mr. Thomas in behalf of the members, presented Mr. Bolton with a large purse of gold. Then followed songs by the Mozart quartette, solos by James Donnelly and Daniel J. Donahue, while entertaining phonograph solos were also given. Refreshments were served in the outer hall.

Thomas M. Bolton was born in Ireland 52 years ago and came to this city 38 years ago. Four years after arriving in the Spindle City he started in the harness business at the same spot in Market street, where he was not long ago when he retired and sold out his stock.

During these 30 years he conducted a very profitable trade and was one of the oldest harness makers in Lowell.

Cricketers' ball Prescott hall, Friday evening.

ANNUAL SALE

By Ladies of the Eliot Church

The annual autumn sale under the auspices of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the Eliot church opened in the vestry of the church last evening. The chief attraction was the song recital by Madame Caroline Gardiner Clarke, soprano vocalist of Boston.

The festivities opened shortly after 6 o'clock and for an hour and a half a turkey supper was served in the dining hall under the direction of Mrs. A. F. Nichols, assisted by Mrs. Harry Parker and the members of the King's Daughters, Lowell, all of whom were gowned in white. Following the supper a social hour was enjoyed, during which time the various tables in the vestry were liberally patronized. At 8 o'clock the recital was given under the direction of Mrs. J. W. Sherburne.

Mrs. Clarke's first selection was "The Slave," by Rubinstein. The others rendered were as follows:

"My mother Bids Me Bind My Hair," Beecher; "Ecstacy, Because of Thee," Jones; "Spring Song," MacKenzie; "On the Way to Kew," Foote; "Winds in the Trees," Thomas; "The Years of the Spring," Beach.

The vestry of the church was tastefully decorated for the occasion and presented a very unique appearance. The tables about the vestry are prettily arranged and last evening each of them transacted a thriving business.

The candy table is in charge of Mrs. Charles S. Proctor, assisted by Misses Ruth Bowes, Ruth Eaton, Clara Mitchell and Bessie Kimball.

The apron table is in charge of Mrs. John Graham, who is aided by the services of Mrs. Frank Coburn, Mrs. Geo. R. Holden, Misses Maud Smith, Mae Walsh and Alice Fevey.

The general management of the function is in the hands of Mrs. C. M. Childs, assisted by Mrs. E. W. Pease and Mrs. A. F. Nichols.

MINOR LICENSES

GRANTED AT REGULAR MEETING OF POLICE BOARD.

The following licenses were granted at the regular meeting of the police board Tuesday evening:

Hawker and peddler—H. E. Hunter, Tyngsboro; R. M. Hills, Windham, N. H.

Night lunch wagon—Fred J. Burns, Paige and Bridge streets.

Common victuallers—Mary Caveney, 152 Market street; Thomas Harrington, 162 Lakeview avenue; Milo Ingalls, 602 Merrimack street; Rose Medora, 631 Middlesex street; Clara Fortin, 23 Liberty square.

GOULD'S PLAN

For a New Tidewater Line

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Official outline of George J. Gould's plan for building a new tidewater line from St. Louis to New Orleans was made public yesterday in an application to list $12,242,000 St. Louis, Iron mountain and Southern lines, Gulf division, first mortgage four per cent., thirty years' bonds, which represent that portion of the authorized $50,000,000 which have been sold. Mr. Gould recently estimated the total cost of these improvements at between $40,000,000 and $50,000,000.

The purposes for which the bonds were used are stated in detail in the application to list and are partly as follows:

Provision is made for the immediate issue of $7,200,000 par value, of bonds as applicable in the acquisition of all the railroad property and franchises formerly belonging to the St. Louis Valley Railway. One million dollars are reserved to be certified from time to time for the acquisition of an equivalent amount of the first mortgage bonds of the Union Railway company, a corporation of the state of Tennessee; $148,000 par value, of this reservation of bonds are immediately issuable as applicable to the bonds of the Union Railway company, deposited with the Mercantile Trust company at the time of the execution of the mortgage, $15,700,000 of the bonds are reserved to provide for the cost of the acquisition and the completion and extension of the lines of railroad formerly belonging to the White River Railway company, the Memphis, Helena and Louisiana Railway company, and the Memphis, Helena and Louisiana Railroad company; $2,175,000 are reserved to provide for the cost of double tracking the line extending from East St. Louis to Thebe; $2,500,000 are reserved to provide for additional terminal and for properties, facilities and equipment at St. Louis, East St. Louis and Thebe; $4,500,000 are reserved for the construction or acquisition of second track, shops, depots, terminals properties, rolling stock and other additional property; $5,675,000 are to provide for the acquisition of lines of railroad connecting the lines of railroad formerly owned by the St. Louis Valley Railway, the Memphis, Helena and Louisiana Railway company and the White River Railway company, the remaining $11,250,000 are to provide for the actual cost of lines of railroad constituting extensions or branches connecting with the railroad of the railway company subject to the lien of the mortgage.

Although only $12,242,186 of these bonds have been actually issued and sold, $20,000,000 have been underwritten.

IRISH REPRESENTATIVES

CAME HERE TO BOOM AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—R. A. Anderson, secretary, and the Rev. J. O'Donovan, provisional representative of the Irish Agricultural organization society, arrived yesterday on the steamship Oceanic.

They have come at the invitation of the Irish Industrial league of America, for the purpose of stimulating interest among the Irish in this country in the work of this society.

Secretary Anderson said that his industrial society was made up of 800 associations, which were conducted on a co-operative and self-help basis. It has a membership of 85,000 and does an annual business in agricultural and other industrial products of $10,000,000. Sir Robert Plunkitt, Lord Monteagle and himself, Mr. Anderson said, started the society thirteen years ago. The organization is non-political and non-religious. It is intended by the two gentlemen to hold mass meetings in this and other large cities in America.

FOR BRIBERY

EX-SENATOR HOLBROOK PLACED ON TRIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LANSING, Mich., Nov. 12—A jury was secured late yesterday for the trial of ex-State Senator John Holbrook, charged with bribery in connection with the acquittal of Col. Eli R. Sutton, formerly member of the state military board and ex-regent of the state university, who was charged with being implicated in a $50,000 fraud practice on the state of Michigan in connection with supplies for the state troops during the Cuban war. Holbrook is charged with offering Arthur H. Phillips, one of the jury who sat on the case, $500 if he would vote for an acquittal. Sutton had come here from New York to testify in the case.

CHAMBERLAIN'S POLICY

DEBATED BY LONDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Nov. 12—The London chamber of commerce last night debated Joseph Chamberlain's fiscal program. Prof. W. J. Ashley, the dean of the faculty of commerce of the university of Birmingham, who opened the debate, declared that if Chamberlain's policy is adopted Canada is certainly to either become independent or to be annexed to the United States. American emigration to the Northwest territory, he declared, was accelerating this tendency and the drift of Australia towards separation from the mother country was equally clear.

The debate brought out strongly the divergence of the views held by the members of the chamber.

No resolutions on the subject were adopted, however.

FINANCIAL STRESS

BRYAN HELPED OUT HIS DAUGHTER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 12—Mr. and Mrs. Leavitt, who were recently married in Lincoln, are reported to be in financial stress here. William J. Bryan, the bride's father, has sent her money.

CROKER A LIFE MEMBER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—At a meeting of the governors of the Democratic club held last night, Richard Croker was unanimously elected a life honorary member of the club. This honor is shared only by former President Cleveland.

BOUGHT LIQUOR REVENUE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Nov. 12—A foreign syndicate has bought the national liquor revenue for $1,500,000 yearly.

WHY?

Why is it that no merchant can build up a large and successful business nowadays without advertising in the newspapers? Because people look to the newspapers for the announcements of the merchants. The dealer who does not make announcements to the people through the daily papers is soon forgotten by the buying public and quickly left behind in the race for business.

Talk to the people through the columns of The Sun and they will bear you in mind when they need anything in your line.

The Sun having the largest circulation in Lowell is therefore the cheapest and most effective advertising medium in the city. It is unquestionably

LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER.

POLO NOTES

A couple of towns in Bill Parsons' league will have Sunday polo and roller skating.

Klobedanz goes west today to referee. We pity the western league that he gets located in.

A fine likeness of "Old Man" Roberts, who will captain the Elwood team, appeared in the Muncie Star of Tuesday.

The lineups in a few of the teams in the eastern league will look sick when the players desert it for the western leagues.

Stoneham, of the American Roller Polo league, has a fine rink and draws the best people in the town to its games.

"Pop" Holderness, who played halfback on the Lowell team for two seasons, left Boston for the west today. He was accompanied by his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene F. Hart, who were married yesterday.

"Smooth Willie" landed a couple of the best towns in his Illinois league for himself. Parsons always has the faculty of looking out for No. 1.—Lawrence American. You wouldn't expect him to take the worst, would you?—Herald.

The Lawrence Telegram says that the American league will put all "jumpers" under the ban. There will not be much need of putting them under the "ban," for if they lose in one league in the west they have several other leagues to try for, and the three western leagues are looking for general utility men.

Referee Tommy Connolly is making his job look good by commending the article of polo in the American league. It may be first-class amateur polo, and doubtless is, but it is far from the article the stars put up who are now in the west.—Brockton Enterprise.

Terre Haute of the Central polo league played its first game on Monday night with Danville and defeated the latter team by a score of 5 to 3. George Harper, the well-known local player, is tending goal for the winning team. Harper had 28 chances in the game and lost but three. Among the other players on the Terre Haute team is Eddie Hipson, who is captain, Freeman, the amateur whom Kilfredge brought out last season, "Izzey" Whipple, who has played with Lawrence and Chelsea, Pete Wood of the Worcester team. In the Danville lineup are Spencer, Pink Turner, Spot Hadley, Paddy Moran and Sutherland.

A despatch from Anderson, Ind., says:

Norton and Fisher, the polo men, may have trouble with the Musicians' union because of placing a great orchestrion in their rink building. As Elwood is also to have a similar instrument the musicians do not relish the idea, and there is some talk of appealing to their national organization for a ruling. It is generally believed, however, that rink owners desiring to adopt machines for use can do so, and the matter is not within the jurisdiction of the unions.

The advance sale of season tickets to the game will be had this week in all the cities of the Western league. From present indications over half the capacity of each rink will be sold before the first game is played if not the full capacity in several of the towns.

The floor of the new Marion rink is ready for the players, and Fox and his men will practice daily until the season's opening.

PICKERING ESTATE.

The Pickering estate in Andover street has been purchased by George C. Dempsey. It is stated that Mr. Dempsey will move into his new residence at once. The amount of the purchase money is given as $35,000.

There is Much Antique Furniture

Scattered about New England made in the good old colonial days, that after the lapse of over 100 years, needs repairing. We are experts in finishing and high-grade upholstering, and if you desire will call with full line of samples for upholstering any of your furniture, modern or antique.

We also buy and sell antique furniture.

GARDNER BROS.

75 Pine Street

Highland Telephone 638-3.

CONCORD'S GAME

Stewart and Gray Teams Tied Again

CHELSEA ADMITTED TO BASKET FALL LEAGUE

Fred Lake Awarded the Franchise

Concord defeated Nashua 23 to 11 in Nashua last night by superior basketball. The Nashuans could tackle and pass with the same facility and Horne threw fine baskets but Concord threw much better and won out handily.

The lineup:

CONCORD.		NASHUA.
Sykes lf		rb Kelliher
Stewart rf		lb Bruce
Kane c		c Doyle
Tighe lb		rf Horne
Herron rf		lf McCarthy (McFarland)

Score, Concord 23, Nashua 11. Goals from floor, Stewart, Sykes 4, Tighe 4, Herron, Horne 2, McFarland. Fouls, Stewart 9, Sykes, Kane, Tighe 5, Horne 3, McCarthy, McFarland, Doyle, Kelliher. Referee, Tierney. Timers, McPherson and Featherstone. Attendance, 600.

LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	5	1	.833
Lowell	4	3	.566
Concord	4	3	.666
Nashua	1	5	.166
Haverhill	1	5	.166

CHELSEA ADMITTED

LAKE WILL HAVE THE FRANCHISE.

The New England basketball league met at the Tremont house, Nashua, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and adjourned until the evening, when it was voted to admit Chelsea as the sixth member of the league under a franchise held by Fred Lake.

It was voted to give visiting teams 25 per cent. of the net receipts. This rule is to hold until Thanksgiving day, to see how it operates and if satisfactory it will be adopted permanently.

Every city in the league was represented and the matters of interest were discussed fully.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

Nashua tonight.

George Lynch of Maynard has signed with Haverhill.

When Lowell and Manchester meet again the fur will fly.

Charlie Connors is all right in Concord. His work Tuesday night made a hit.

Bill Kelliher says that it's up to Nashua to stop the Lowell's winning career.

Bill Kelliher has several good players in view for Nashua's basketball team. He will make an effort extraordinary for the Pitcher brothers and Christy Chase.

McCarthy of Fitchburg has signed with Nashua.

The game tonight will be the last home game this week. There should be a large crowd on hand to see the contest.

Jack Titus turned down the offer of the Concord basketball management because he does not care to engage in basketball this winter. Jack is thoroughly satisfied with his position on the Philadelphia nationals, and will be with that aggregation next season.

TWO DIAMOND RINGS

STOLEN BY CLEVER SNEAK THIEF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROOKLINE, Mass., Nov. 12.—Representing himself as an employe of a telephone company, an unknown man was enabled yesterday to gain admission to the residence of Mrs. George W. Gilbert, on Dempster road and depart with two diamond rings which are said to be worth $1000.

Once inside the house the man disconnected the wires so that no calls could be rung and no alarm was given. No arrest has been made, but the police have a good description of the thief.

DAVIS MEMORIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 12—The presentation and acceptance of the design of a memorial to President Jefferson Davis by the sculptor, Edward W. Valentine, of Richmond, was the chief feature of the annual convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy here yesterday. It is to be erected at Richmond at a cost of $70,000.

It will consist of a stone semi-circular colonnade with 13 columns, facing which will be a bronze statue of Mr. Davis and within the colonnade a granite column 50 feet high surmounting an allegorical bronze statue of a woman.

HOSPITAL GUILD.

The Young Women's Hospital Guild met yesterday afternoon at the council room of the Women's club. It was the first meeting since the vacation season and the attendance was large. Dr. C. H. Stowell of the trustees, talked about the hospital's need of better equipment in the line of surgical tables, surgical instruments, etc. The doctor said he thought the various things needed at the hospital would cost about $950. The guild has this amount, and more, in its treasury and it was voted to appropriate $950 for the purchase of articles mentioned by Dr. Stowell.

$50,000 GIFT FOR GOMEZ.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVANA, Nov. 12—In the senate and house of representatives yesterday a gift of $50,000 was unanimously voted to Gen. Maximo Gomez in recognition of his services as head of the army.

ADVERSE DECISION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Nov. 12—A decision adverse to the defendants in the famous anti-boycott suit brought by D. E. Lowe & Co., hat makers of Danbury, against certain labor unions, was given by Judge Thayer on the demurrer of the plaintiff.

DIAMONDS LOST

Woman Hid Them in Stocking

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—The long established reputation of a woman's stocking as a safe hiding place for the money and jewelry of the wearer has been blasted.

Mrs. Frances Sterling, who lives at the Powhattan apartment house, 317 West Thirty-fourth street says she lost $35,700 worth of diamonds and $200 in cash from her stocking yesterday, and she is under the care of a physician and two nurses, awaiting anxiously the arrival of some honest person who is willing to exchange $35,700 worth of jewels for a cash reward of $1000.

Mrs. Sterling is an English widow of eight years' standing. She has been travelling extensively, accompanied by a companion, Mrs. J. De Forest Frankel, who says that she is a niece of Henry F. Gilig, a prominent clubman of this city, who at one time was president of the American Exchange in London. Of ample fortune, Mrs. Sterling has made a fad of collecting jewels.

These she carried with her in a jewel box, six inches long, four inches wide, and three inches high. It was her custom when travelling to place this box in her dainty silk stocking. Mrs. Frankel says she often warned her of the danger of entrusting the jewel box to such a fragile repository.

Mrs. Sterling returned from Washington yesterday morning. Before leaving the sleeper she thrust the jewel box into her right stocking, which she is sure was wholly intact at the time. When she reached her apartment she found that the jewel box had worked a hole in the stocking and dropped through.

Immediately Mrs. Sterling discovered her loss she collapsed. Upon recovery she went over the ground she had traversed, made fruitless inquiries at the "L" lost property office and the Pennsylvania railroad stations, and then made the offer of $1000 reward.

SHOT HIMSELF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLINTON, Mass., Nov. 12—Henry H. Wood, 41, caretaker of the Henry C. Greeley estate, committed suicide by shooting last night.

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To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.48	8.50	6.00	7.04
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
a6.30	7.30	7.35	8.55
a6.42	7.53	8.25	9.01
a7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.37
e7.24	8.10	e10.00	10.37
a7.31	8.50	e10.17	11.31
7.45	8.35	e11.30	12.07
8.50	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.40	10.40	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	2.00	3.01
a11.43	12.25	e3.00	3.37
a12.14	1.00	a3.47	5.00
1.40	2.50	4.14	5.30
e1.50	2.30	e5.00	5.37
a3.09	4.20	5.28	6.35
a4.47	4.30	a5.47	6.34
4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
e5.22	6.15	e7.30	8.08
a5.44	7.00	e8.30	9.08
e6.22	7.05	10.30	11.34
e7.22	8.10	11.20	12.24

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
a8.30	7.30	9.00	10.00
a7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.49	5.00	5.55
a8.20	10.15	e7.30	8.08
a4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
a5.53	7.00	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.39
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.36	4.56
2.30	3.35	4.19	5.50
3.10	4.10	6.01	7.05
3.55	5.04	6.35	7.48
5.05	6.43	b.38	10.40
6.13	7.15	b11.15	12.15
7.00	8.06		
9.23	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.24	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.37
5.30	6.55		
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CHELMSFORD

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Central Congregational church of Chelmsford Centre opened their annual fair yesterday with great success. The vestry in which the fair is held was beautifully decorated by Miss Minnie Hardy.

From 5.30 to 7 o'clock the supper room was the scene of great business.

The various tables with distinctive colors and the committees, the first named being chairman, were as follows:

Fancy table No. 1, pink and green, Mrs. J. A. Bartlett, Mrs. Edward J. Robbins, Mrs. Paul Dutton, Miss Margaret Ashworth.

Fancy table No. 2, pink and green, Mrs. Samuel Hagerman, Miss Mira Hubbard, Miss Emma Hubbard, Miss Minnie Hardy, Miss Katherine Kilbourne, Miss Velma Hildreth.

Household table, Mrs. E. R. Clark, Mrs. E. R. Marshall, Mrs. H. R. Knowlton, Miss Carrie E. Elliott, Mrs. Edwin C. Perham, Mrs. Pliny C. Bliss, Mrs. Geo. W. Day, Mrs. Eben T. Adams, Mrs. Edward B. Emerson.

Candy table, green and white, Miss Lillian Kilbourne, Mrs. E. C. Bartlett, Miss Alice Poore, Miss Mary Poore, Miss Eva Perham, Miss Agnes Eaton, Miss Ethel Hagerman, Mrs. E. E. Staples, Miss Grace Chapin, Miss Bertha Bartlett, Miss Ena MacNutt.

Apron and handkerchief table, pink and green, Mrs. Geo. H. Wilson, Miss Kate Dupee, Mrs. Albion Kittredge, Miss Mary Poore.

Grab bag, Miss Carrie Knowlton, Miss Susie Blanchard, Miss Edith Bliss, Miss Margaret Poore.

Supper committee, Mrs. Sarah Blanchard, Mrs. Wm. R. Fowle, Jr., Mrs. J. C. Osterhout, Mrs. Elizabeth Nickles.

Ice cream, Wm. R. Fowle, Richard Boyd, Sidney Dupee, Harlan Knowlton.

The entertainment of the evening was the bright, one-act comedy, "Wilfred Burton, Artist." It was finely acted by Mr. G. Edward Reed, Mr. Robert F. Marion, Miss Alice L. Livingstone, Miss Bertha M. Abbott, Miss Bessie L. Adams.

This evening the entertainment will consist of a musical by Lowell friends.

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Tuesday, Nov. 17, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock

TRUSTEES' SALE OF A FINE RESIDENCE; THREE-STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 7040 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NO. 37 ELEVENTH STREET, CENTRALVILLE.

We have pledged with Mr. Keyes to be sold by absolute auction sale, regardless of any condition of the weather, this three-story, slate-roofed dwelling, and about 7040 square feet of land, situated in the most aristocratic part of Centralville, with high elevation, perfect surroundings, convenient and healthful.

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The lot contains about 7040 square feet of land with a frontage on Eleventh street of about 55 feet, it is well graded and has a good large garden in the rear, with concrete walks, ten or twelve fine apple and pear trees, also a grape vine. For convenience it is modern, for location it is a most desirable one; for sanitary purposes you could not choose a better spot, and it will positively be sold to the highest bidder on the day and time stated above.

TERMS: $350 must be deposited with the auctioneer at time and place of sale; other terms will be made known at sale.

By order of the
Trustees of the Central Methodist Church.

Thursday, Nov. 19, 1903, at 3.00 o'clock

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE OF A COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 1600 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NO. 24 WEST STREET, CENTRALVILLE.

As administrator of the above estate, and in order to settle its affairs, I will offer to the public, by auction sale, this cottage house and about 1600 square feet of land, nicely situated on the westerly side of West street, but a few steps from Lakeview avenue or electric car service. The house contains six rooms; pantry; it has gas lighting, a fine cellar, the floor of which is bricked; the walls are all whitewashed; the chambers are large, comfortable and airy, and for the one who has little money to invest in a home, this is a good opportunity of purchasing.

The lot is all fenced in, and contains 1600 square feet, with a frontage on West street of 40 feet. Now this is up at absolute sale, and the last bidder shall own the property.

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CONTESTED AND UN-CONTESTED CASES

Long List of Jury Waived Cases

A two weeks' session of the superior court for the trying of jury waived cases, equity and divorce cases, will open at the local court house on Monday morning. Chief Justice Mason presiding. The list of cases is as follows:

UNCONTESTED DIVORCE CASES.

Taylor vs. Taylor, Burke & Corbett.
Fenton vs. Fenton, McIntyre & Wilson.
Marshall vs. Marshall, F. C. Wright.
Fortier vs. Fortier, F. P. Rivet.
Thompson vs. Thompson, J. J. Pickman.
Welch vs. Welch, G. T. Bickford.
Davis vs. Davis, D. J. Donahue.
Hooper vs. Hooper, McIntyre & Wilson.
Severance vs. Severance, F. C. Wright.
Anderson, petitioner for nullity, vs. Johnson, alias; Wright and Keezer.
Lord vs. Lord, R. E. Jeffery.
Sheehan vs. Sheehan, J. J. and W. A. Hogan.
Magee vs. Magee, F. C. Wright.
Page vs. Page, A. S. Apsey.
Berger vs. Berger, F. G. Preston.
Jefferson vs. Jefferson, F. C. Wright.
Mills, alias Whitehead, vs. Mills, alias Whitehead; the Hogans.
Griffin vs. Griffin, H. C. Mulligan.
Bates vs. Bates, A. P. French.
Brown vs. Brown, J. H. Gallet.
Clarke vs. Clarke, C. W. Dodson and J. W. Huse.
Houghton vs. Houghton, Dodson Huse.
Savage vs. Savage, E. R. Champlin.
Rogers vs. Rogers, R. E. Jeffrey and F. W. Campbell.
Gilman vs. Gilman, McIntyre & Wilson.
Conant vs. Conant, W. H. Mullin.
Edgell vs. Edgell, J. J. Harvey.
Norris vs. Norris, William F. Donovan.
Henry vs. Henry, F. C. Wright.
McConnell vs. McConnell, B. M. Fernald.
Grierson vs. Grierson, Burke & Corbett.
Weeks vs. Weeks, T. Hillis.
Cushman vs. Cushman, Weed and Weed.
Coffin vs. Coffin, J. T. Wilson.
Raymond vs. Raymond, Nathan D. Pratt.
Harrington vs. Harrington, McIntyre & Wilson.
Trimble vs. Trimble, W. H. Preble.
Crocker vs. Crocker, F. C. Wright.

CONTESTED DIVORCE CASES.

Harding vs. Harding.
Guerin vs. Guerin.
Malloy vs. Malloy.
Roach vs. Roach.
Fish vs. Fish.
Swift vs. Swift.
Spaulding vs. Spaulding.
Shorey vs. Shorey.
Brown vs. Brown.
Farnsworth vs. Farnsworth.
Flinn vs. Flinn.

JURY WAIVED CASES.

Parish of Medford vs. City of Medford.
Danforth vs. Groton Water company.
McIntyre, Judge vs. Smythe et als.
Morton vs. Gilchrist and trustees.
Rodger vs. Ruddock et als.
Welch vs. Ennis, alias.
McSorley et al vs. Gerrish, Jr.
Kelly vs. St. Onge.
Welsh vs. Fay et als.
Sprague vs. Town of Chelmsford.
Doherty et al vs. Wright company.
Moulton, ad'x vs. Suffolk Savings bank for Seamen and others.
Moulton ad'x vs. Home Saving bank.
Moulton ad'x. vs. Boston Five Cent Savings bank.
Welsh vs. Flynn et als.
Cooney vs. Gilmore.
Hobson et als. Tr's vs. Glendon club et als.
Pasho vs. Crosby and trustees.
Rogers vs. Tighe.
Hope, petitioner, vs. Thompson.
Faulkner I, petitioner to bar action on morigage.
Newman, Admr. vs. Briggs and Allyn Manufacturing Co.
O'Neill vs. Dunn.
McIntyre, Judge, etc., vs. Williams et al.
The E. C. Andrews Co. vs. Henry Thayer.
Flood vs. O'Neil.
Franklin et al., petitioner vs. Houde.
Huard, petitioner, vs. Kelley.
Raymond vs. Carkin.
Page vs. New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad.
Jamieson et al. vs. Doyle.
Woods vs. Daley.
Richardson vs. Cutter.
Alland et al. vs. Morris.
Donnelly vs. Cahill.
Fullick, administrator, vs. Danforth.
Fagiano vs. Kelly.
Larkin vs. Shields.
Hoag vs. Cambridge Gas Light Co.

EQUITY CASES.

Danforth vs. Groton Water Co.
Doherty, admx. vs. Doherty.
O'Connell vs. Donahoe, et al.
Cowley vs. O'Connell, et al.
Cushman et al. vs. Graden, et al.
Bennison vs. Plymouth and Sandwich street railway.
Donahue vs. McNally.

MONTHLY SOCIABLE

AT THE FIRST TRINITARIAN CHURCH.

The regular monthly sociable of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the First Trinitarian church, which was held in the vestry, was an event of unusual interest and importance.

The attendance was larger than at any of the other sessions of the organizations this year. From 5.30 to 7.30 supper was served in the two wide vestries under the general direction of Mrs. C. G. Sherman, Mrs. W. H. Fuller and Mrs. L. A. Brigham. The entertainment consisted of a one-act comedy presented by members of Mrs. Kennott's Sunday school class, and entitled, "Mrs. Willis' Will."

The cast of the characters was as follows: Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Willis' executrix; Mrs. Leo Jelly, Lally Spindle, absurdly haughty and dignified; Miss Roxie Henderson, Mrs. Dwindle, peeless and lady of fashion, Miss Mabelle Dent; Jenny, a servant, Miss Blanche Boardman; Rachel, Mrs. Robinson's housekeeper, Mrs. Elizabeth Spofford. The piece was well presented and kept the audience in a state of constant merriment.

It was announced that Mrs. Kennott's Sunday school class will give a musicale next Wednesday evening in aid of the Gipsy Village to be held Dec. 8 and 9.

The pastor stated that the Amherst Glee, Mandolin and Banjo club will give a concert at the church Thanksgiving night, under the auspices of the Men's League.

RODGER ENTERTAINED.

Andrew R. Rodger, the crack marksman of Company C, who won two first prizes at the recent shoot at Walnut Hill, was given a jollification at the armory last night, a clambake being the feature of the evening. During the evening a fine literary and musical program was carried out.

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For reasons good and sufficient to myself, and because I feel it a duty that can no longer be delayed even though the season be late, I shall sell to such persons as will make the highest bids at Peremptory Auction Sale, the fourteen lots of land owned by me on the 50 ft. street leaving Mammoth Road opposite Third Avenue and going across to Varnum Avenue via Waterford and Starbird Streets, or adjoining in the rear Varnum Avenue estates of P. S. Coburn, Dr. J. J. Colton and Geo. W. Coburn.

The premises formerly belonged to the Patrick Cummiskey estate, and possess an area of over 65,000 square feet, now laid out in streets and divided into lots varying in size from 3215 to 5650 square feet. The frontages run from 38 to 55 feet, and there are six corner lots. On the opposite side of the street are two new houses, the cellars and foundations are in for two more, and the cellars in for another two; beyond the land, the street is all improved to Starbird Street on one side, and partially so on the other with snug and pretty homes.

The land lies well and cuts up splendidly; the neighborhood is quiet and respectable; all city conveniences are at hand; excellent street car services are within two minutes' walk; schools, churches and business are near enough; the prices to be realized will in all probability be within the reach of hundreds of purchasers; and the chance for almost anyone who would establish for himself a comfortable home, easily and quickly reached from down town, within handy walking distance from all sorts of employment, seems truly a good one. When you go to an owner to buy, you must pay HIS price. When he comes to you he must take YOUR price. And the best of all, for the purchaser, is when property is honestly pledged without limit or reserve to the highest bidder at public sale, as this is.

Purchasers must deposit with or secure to the Auctioneers from $25 to $50 on each lot, as requested by the Auctioneers, as soon as each lot is struck off. The sale will take place on Wednesday, the 18th day of November, 1903, and, regardless of the weather, will begin promptly at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

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THE SHAWLIGHTS

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IN PRESCOTT HALL LAST EVENING

The Event Was a Great Success

The Shawlight Canoe and Athletic club, one of the most popular organizations of this city, held a concert and dancing party in Prescott hall last evening, and like every event conducted by this club proved a great success from every point of view. The hall was not decorated with bunting or tri-colored streamers, neither was the orchestra obscured from view by potted plants, as has often been the case, but it was a delightful event nevertheless and the 60 people in attendance were unanimous in the belief that the Shawlights were great entertainers.

THOMAS POOLE,
Chairman Reception Committee.

The concert which preceded the dancing was furnished by the club's own talent, and to say the least, it was worth the price of admission alone. Usually when a concert precedes dancing, the audience refrains from applauding the talent with a view of hurrying along the dancing, but last night proved an exception to the rule, for, if all the encores demanded were responded to, it would be safe to state that the concert would have still been in progress at midnight, so delighted was the audience with the musical treat provided by the young men.

The first number was a piano solo by Richard Noonan. The next was a beautiful solo by George P. Daley, entitled "Always in the Way." Martin H. Maguire demonstrated that his sweet tenor voice has lost none of its charms by the manner in which he rendered "Like a Star When It Falls From Heaven." Thomas Poole displayed a rich voice in "Down on the Farm." Thomas B. Murphy's bass voice was heard to good advantage in "I'm Wearing My Heart Away for You." The concluding number was a selection by the Shawlight quartet, and although it was their initial appearance, they scored a decided hit. The quartet consists of Martin H. Maguire, first tenor; George P. Daley, second tenor; Joseph F. Tuttle, baritone, and Thomas B. Murphy, bass.

Richard Noonan was accompanist and his work was up to his usual excellence.

Immediately following the concert dancing to the strains of Hibbard's orchestra was indulged in until midnight, and it was with reluctance that the merry gathering waltzed to the music of "Home, Sweet Home."

Floor Director George P. Daley performed his duties in a very efficient manner. He was ably assisted by Frank P. Duggan and William F. Quinlan as assistant floor director and chief aid respectively, and a large corps of aids.

The success of the affair is due to the untiring efforts of the following efficient officers:

General manager, John W. Maguire; assistant general manager, John A. Robertshaw; floor director, George P. Daley; assistant floor director, Frank P. Duggan; chief aid, William F. Quinlan; aids, Thomas B. Murphy, Martin H. Maguire, Patrick J. Coughlin, William P. Duggan, John J. Carney, Arthur P. Provencher, Arthur E. Moran, John J. Downey, Charles F. King.

Reception committee, Thomas Poole, chairman; assistants Charles F. McQuillan, John R. Kiggins, Thomas J. Daley, John J. Hardy, J. Edward Carney, George E. Hammond, and Almeda Bellanger.

SPURIOUS $20 BILLS

BEING CIRCULATED IN PROVIDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 12—Chief Murphy of the New England branch of the United States secret service, arrived in Providence Tuesday and yesterday secured four of the counterfeit $20 bills circulated in business houses Saturday. The local detectives are working in conjunction with the United States detectives on the case, but have no clue as to who the men passing out the spurious money are.

CITY OF SALEM

HAS FAILED TO FURNISH A SUITABLE ARMORY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SALEM, Mass., Nov. 12—Mayor Peterson has received notification from the attorney general's office to the effect that the governor, as commander-in-chief of the militia, has reported that the city of Salem has failed to furnish a suitable armory for Company H of the Eighth Infantry, in violation of the statutes.

The communication adds that unless some arrangement is speedily made for a suitable quarter, action will be taken under the statute.

INTERESTING MEETING

HELD BY CANTON PAWTUCKET, I. O. O. F.

The regular monthly meeting of Canton Pawtucket, No. 9, I. O. O. F., was held in Odd Fellows' Temple, Middlesex street, last evening.

After the routine business was transacted the election of field officers of the 4th Regiment as regards this Canton was concerned, occurred. Lieut. Col. M. D. Brown presided.

The result was: For colonel, George A. Childs; A. E. Bliss for brigadier-general; Charles L. Leach for lieutenant-colonel; George H. Stevens for major. Then followed the election of officers for the Canton: A. E. Lyford was elected commandant; Fred H. Baldwin, lieut.; Elliott Morgan, ensign; Asa B. Hilliard, clerk; Major E. D. Bearce, accountant.

The members voted to hold a concert and ball in 1904 and the following members were appointed to make arrangements for the same: Chas. Laforest Beals, chairman; Fred Osterhout, Capt. George H. Stevens, Lieut. Col. M. D. Brown, Ensign F. G. Baldwin, Capt. A. E. Lyford.

At the close of business all adjourned to the banquet hall where refreshments were served and brief speeches made.

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WELDS BROKEN

Boston & Northern Road Bothered by Weather

Track Welding Operation Proves Not to be Proof Against the Laws of Nature—More Repairing Will be Needed

The coming of the cold weather appears to have brought with it a pile of trouble for the Boston & Northern street railroad, for once again the laws of nature have refused to be overridden by man and the old law of metal contracting in cold weather and expanding in hot continues in force despite the fact that a lot of track welders came here to stop contraction and expansion at something like $10 a weld.

The track-welders, it will be remembered, came here in warm weather and demonstrated their interesting process along the principal streets. Their scheme was supposed to get around the law of contracting and expansion, save power for the company and be a great thing for the street railway company generally. Everything went along finely until the recent cold weather came and then suddenly the trouble began.

The iron rails began to contract and they kept on contracting despite the opposition of the welding scheme until finally the fittest survived and the weld, the invention of man, succumbed to the natural force and went out of commission.

Already there are eight breaks in the High street tracks while daily new ones are being reported. All that the company can do is to return to the old style of joining the ends and wait patiently until some other genius comes along with a new scheme.

TRAINING SCHOOL

Hearing Set for Monday November 23

John W. McEvoy, Esq., counsel for Miss Carrie Downey in her complaint against the Training school, stated today that the hearing would probably be held one week from next Monday provided Mr. Swapp of the school board is able to attend on that date, the latter having been ill for the past few weeks.

Judging from the talk about town, if those who have grievances real or imaginary against the school or its principal, or both are allowed to ask all the questions they desire the hearing will be one of the most spicy ever held in Lowell.

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CHANGE IN SCHEDULE

WINTER TIME-TABLE ON STREET RAILWAY.

The winter schedule of running time on the local division of the Boston & Northern railroad will go into effect Monday morning and several important changes will be made. In the first place several cars and their crews will be taken off, but none of the men will lose their jobs, other positions will be found for them.

There will not be any change in the starting time of the cars nor on the last trips. The cars will be run on practically the same schedule from early morning until about eight o'clock, when the trips will be less frequent until noon. From noon until eight at night there will be little or no change in time, but after eight on some of the routes the time will be changed. On the heavy routes there will be practically no change in time.

The people of Belvidede will suffer the most from the change. The trips to the Oaklands and Andover street will be changed greatly. The Broadway car after leaving the square will make one trip to the Oaklands and the next car to leave the square will go down Andover street. The Varnum avenue car instead of having the square as its terminus will run to the junction of Nesmith and Rogers street, which will mean fewer trips on the Varnum avenue end.

After ten o'clock at night the trips on the Gorham street and Lakeview lines will be cut.

WERE SERENADED

PELHAM'S NEWLY MARRIED COUPLE WERE ENTERTAINED.

The joint age of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gould of Pelham, N. H., is a little more than 100 years. They were married a few days ago and Monday night a goodly number of their friends surrounded the Gould residence and entertained the newly married, but aged pair with an old fashioned chivaari. The serenaders were finally invited in and accepted light refreshments. The invaders extended hearty congratulations.

CUBAN BILL

Will be Promptly Acted Upon by Congress

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12—Following the reading of the journal in the house today, Mr. Ball, (Texas) was sworn in.

The speaker then announced the ways and means committee as follows:

Republicans, Messrs Payne (N. Y.); Dalzell (Penn.); Grosvenor (Ohio); Tawney (Minn.) McCall (Mass.) Babcock (Wis.) Metcalf (Cal.); Hill (Conn.) Boutelle (Ill.); Watson (Ind.); Curtis (Kas.).

Democrats, Messrs. Williams (Miss.); Robertson (Louisiana); Swanson (Va.); McClellan (N. Y.) Cooper (Tex.); Clark (Missouri.)

Mr. Payne introduced the bill to make effective the Cuban reciprocity convention, which without objection, was read by title and referred to the committee on ways and means.

Mr. Payne having moved to adjourn, Mr. Williams, (Miss.) inquired if he was ready to announce the program of the majority.

Mr. Payne said a meeting of the ways and means committee would be called tomorrow and he hoped to report the bill to the house tomorrow.

Mr. Williams, making further inquiry as to the time that is to be allowed for debate, Mr. Payne stated that a conference would be held with the minority leaders at 10:30 a. m. tomorrow to discuss that question.

Mr. Thayer (Mass.) rising to a question of privilege, asked if a member would be considered derelict in his duty if he would go home to get in his winter's wood with the understanding that he would return when the six or seven men who, he said, constitute congress, should announce that something was to be done.

The speaker suggested that the question bardly amounted to a faint assault upon the dignity of a parliamentary inquiry.

Mr. Payne observed that he was about to request unanimous consent that the gentleman from Massachusetts be excused for the remainder of the session.

The house at 12:10 adjourned.

IN THE SENATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12. Immediately upon assembling today, the senate plunged into a discussion of the question of the eligibility of Mr. Reed Smoot, of Utah, to a seat in the senate. The debate grew out of the remarks made yesterday by Mr. Hoar, saying that petitions bearing upon Mr. Smoot's case are as much out of place as would similar petitions to the supreme court of the United States be in the interest of any case before that tribunal.

Mr. Dubois (Idaho) took issue today with Mr. Hoar's remarks, and presented his views in connection with the petitions for Mr. Smoot's expulsion, which were presented by himself.

After announcing the fact that his views differ from those of Mr. Hoar as to the propriety of petitions on this subject, Mr. Dubois proceeded:

"I contend," he said, "that these various organizations of Christian men and women have a right to petition the senate and that it is their duty to do so. Of course, we all appreciate that this is a judicial question, which must be determined by the facts, but it is not an idle question and it is properly before the senate. It is the same question that was involved in the case of the polygamous Roberts for whose unseating by the house of representatives many petitions were filed. All the petitioners ask is that we study the case carefully before passing upon it. They know what they are doing. They represent the moral thought of the country and should not be discouraged.

"If the allegations now on file with the committee on privileges and elections can be proven, I do not believe there is a senator here who would vote to have Mr. Smoot continue in his seat, but if they are not proven, I think we would all unite in asking him to remain."

Mr. Hoar replied that he did not believe any member of the committee on privileges and elections would find it necessary to make a public display of his attachment to the family tie as established in all Christian countries and so signally manifested in its beauty in our own country and he expressed his surprise that any senator should consider it necessary to present his views on this subject. However, he said that was a question for all senators to decide for themselves.

Replying to Mr. Dubois' argument, Mr. Hoar said that in his remarks yesterday he had merely called the attention of some of his own constituents to the fact that they are pointing out to the senate the determination of a judicial question in regard to which the senators are the judges. He again compared the senate to the supreme court and again asked whether, if that court was engaged in determining an important case it would be considered proper to deluge it with petitions indicating the decision to be arrived at in the case. He added that he had addressed the senate upon the subject not because he considered it a matter of small moment, but because of its vast importance and because of this importance he thought it most desirable that the senate should approach the subject in the proper way.

Mr. Hale took the position that the position of Mr. Smoot's eligibility had been improperly raised at this time. He considered it a grave and serious matter, and while he said he had appreciated the force of what Mr. Hoar had said as to the judicial character of the proceeding he did not quite agree with that senator, that in determining the right of a senator to his seat in the senate, should be considered purely as a court of law. As a matter of fact, the senate is not so limited in the mater of taking testimony or in many other respects as a court. On the contrary the senate is a part of the government which bears a relationship to the people different from that body of sequestered men like the judges of the supreme court. It is nearer to the public and is entitled to consider information bearing upon the feelings and wishes of the people regarding any subject. He referred briefly to the moral aspects of Smoot case and said that grave as they are, they are not more important than "the intrusion of a great religious hierarchy like the Mormon church into political affairs of the country." He suggested to the senate the importance of not prejudicing the case.

A large number of bills were then presented, and when this order of business was passed there was a brief executive session.

When the doors were reopened the resolutions of the house announcing the death of Representative Foerderer of Pennsylvania and Representative Boreing of Kentucky were laid before the senate and out of respect to their memory the senate at 1.11 adjourned.

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Canada Peas	6c qt.
Mixed Pork	7c lb.
Mince Meat	7c pkg.
Pink Salmon	8c can
Quart Bottle Golden Syrup	10c
Kennedy's Soda Crackers	5c lb.
2 lbs. Common Crackers	9c
Nic Nac Crackers	5c lb.
Kennedy's Lemon Crack'rs	5c lb.
Kennedy's Vanilla Crackers	10c lb.
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Kennedy's Fruit Crackers	10c lb.
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CURTIS IS DEAD

Once Was Candidate for President

By Associated Press to The Sun

STRATFORD, Conn., Nov. 12.—James Langdon Curtis, who in 1892 was the People's Party candidate for president of the United States, is dead at his home here. He was 96 years old.

GENERAL WOOD

His Nomination Held up by the Senate

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12—The nomination of Robert Shaw Oliver of New York to be assistant secretary of war was ordered to be favorably reported by the senate committee on military affairs today. No action was taken on the nomination of Brig. Gen. Leonard Wood to be major general in view of the request made yesterday in executive session by Senator Teller that he be given an opportunity to make inquiries concerning Gen. Wood's military record. Senator Proctor, acting chairman, will call a second meeting of the committee on military affairs within a few days.

It is the intention now, that nothing shall be made public, and hearing granted to all persons opposed to the nomination of Gen. Wood. The committee voted to recommend the confirmation of the appointment of Major General S. B. M. Young, to be lieutenant-general, vice General Miles, retired.

The appointment of Brig. Gen. Samuel S. Sumner to be major general, made prior to that of General Wood was ordered favorably reported.

As long as the nomination of Gen. Wood is held up about 100 nominations of officers will remain unacted upon, as their promotion depends upon that of Gen. Wood.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

A delegation of the Knights of Columbus of Lawrence will come to Lowell this evening to hear Miss Hardie Langdon sing at the Caste theatre. Miss Langdon sang at a reception by the Knights of Columbus at Lawrence and it is very evident that she sang her way into their hearts.

Mrs. Randall Wyman and son of Middlesex street have returned home from Bristol, Me., where they have been visiting relatives for the past six weeks.

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MILL OPERATIVES

Will Ask for Conference With Manufacturers

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Nov. 12.—The officials of the Textile unions have already prepared to bring the question of the acceptance or resistance of the 10 per cent. reduction before the members, and to this end the Textile council, which is composed of three delegates each from the spinners, carders, loomfixers and slasher tenders' unions, will meet Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. The weavers union is not represented in this council, but will undoubtedly act in concert with the other unions in whatever course is mapped out.

The textile council will do nothing more Saturday night than ask for a conference with the manufacturers. If this conference is granted it must be held early in the week in order that a report may be made to the unions which hold special meetings for the purpose of considering the question probably on Wednesday night. It is probable that the textile council will submit whatever it has to submit without recommendations and it will be up to the members themselves to say what they will do. If the conference is not granted by the manufacturers, or, if held, no concessions are granted, the question which the members of the unions will have to decide Wednesday night—if the meetings are held on that night—will simply be: "Will the reduction be accepted or will we fight?" Their decision on that night will be final, as there will be no further opportunity to consider the matter before the reduction goes into effect on the following Monday.

The general meetings—the spinners and the carders—were held last night and at those the first expression of opinion was gained as to the way the reduction notice is taken by the operatives. No action was taken because no proposition to act on was submitted at these meetings, but the sentiment in each was alike and that was against the acceptance of this reduction. The opinion expressed by members of both unions was that a reduction of wages is not the remedy to be applied to the present situation in the cotton manufacturing industry; that reductions in wages always bring about a reduction in the price of cloth and no one is benefitted but the buyer.

NEW BEDFORD

WAGES IN COTTON MILLS WILL BE SHUT DOWN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Nov. 12—From a reliable source it is learned today that wages in the local cotton mills will be cut to meet the reduction announced yesterday in Fall River. The manufacturers' association has not yet been called to act on the matter, but a meeting will be held before long and when it is the cut down is certain to be put into effect. Only one cloth mill in the city is running full complement and some of the mill men consider the present situation and the outlook so discouraging that they would not object to a shut down.

The weavers say that since wages were advanced a year ago last April there has been a virtual reduction in wages owing to changes in the cuts and other causes.

WITH HATCHET

Demented Man Tried to Kill Himself

Her husband on his knees in the sitting room, hatchet in hand, and blood streaming from a series of wounds in his head and face, was the horrible sight that met Mrs. Albert Estabrook's eyes as she entered the room at her home, 29 Perkins street, on the Lawrence corporation, this forenoon.

Estabrook is demented and is now at the corporation hospital and the doctors there say he will recover. The worst cut is near his left temple, but the doctors say it is not very deep.

SECOND ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE.

It was the second attempt that Estabrook made on his life within the last 24 hours. Yesterday noon he tried to hang himself to a beam in the cellar at his home and would have succeeded but for the timely appearance of his wife. She had nothing with which to cut the cord that held him to the beam, but by an almost superhuman effort she managed to break it.

STRICKEN WITH A SHOCK.

Estabrooks present state of mind dates back to about three weeks ago when he was stricken with a shock. His father died of a shock and Estabrook, for the last year or so, has frequently said to his wife, that he thought he would die as his father died. He recovered, however, from the shock of three weeks, but it was too much for his mind and symptoms of insanity grew apace. He talked almost incessantly about his physical condition and his wife has had all she could do to care for him.

TO THE INSANE ASYLUM.

After the would-be suicide had been taken in the ambulance to the Corporation hospital, Mrs. Estabrook called at Judge Hadley's office and said she would like to have her husband committed to the asylum at Worcester. The judge heard her story and Estabrook will be examined as to sanity as soon as he has sufficiently recovered.

HER TERRIBLE STRAIN.

To a Sun reporter Mrs. Estabrook, whose nervous condition, owing to the terrible strain under which she has been for the last three weeks, is pitiable, said:

"My husband has been insane ever since he had a shock three weeks ago. He lost the use of his limbs for a while and he lost his mind entirely. He has been a little demented, I think, for over a year but he is insane now. He tried to commit suicide yesterday by hanging and I got to him just in time. He came home to dinner and at first he said he wouldn't eat anything. I coaxed him to eat and he finally agreed to sit down. He had a small cord in his hand and he held it while he was at the table. After dinner he went down cellar and after he had been gone a few minutes I followed him. I feared he would try to commit suicide, because he had threatened to several times. He was nearly gone when I arrived and I had just strength enough left to break the rope.

"I will never forget the sight that met my eyes as I entered the room this forenoon and found him on his knees with that bloody hatchet in his hand, his head a mass of cuts and the mats and carpet red with blood. I screamed and grabbed the hatchet; neighbors came to my assistance and the ambulance was summoned. Only God and myself know what I have suffered during the last three weeks. And now to think that he has to be sent to an asylum seems more than I can stand." Mrs. Estabrook was so weak that she had to rest several times in the course of her story.

FELL FROM WHEEL

HOUSE PAINTER HAD NARROW ESCAPE IN CENTRAL STREET.

A house painter, Payton by name, got a very bad toss from his bicycle at the corner of Central and Market streets this afternoon. The fork crown of his wheel broke while he was moving along at a moderate rate of speed and he was thrown to the street. He landed almost squarely on his back, but did not sustain any injury. One wheel of the bicycle continued along Central street, while the other took a spin through Middle street. The accident was due to a flaw in the fork.

DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

The democrats of precinct three, ward four, have arranged for a rally to be held in Lyon street ward room at 8 o'clock Friday night.

A girl baby arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whittaker, 12 Fernald street, Monday morning.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight. Friday, fair and colder; fresh westerly winds.

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"We have noticed a steady increase in the demand for Ayer's Hair Vigor during the last few months."

On Nov. 5, 1903, thirty Lowell druggists were requested to report on the sales of Dr. Ayer's Family Medicines during the past year. Without exception each druggist reported an increase. J. C. AYER CO.

NOTICE

To the Carpenters, Cabinet Makers and Machine Wood Workers of Lowell. There will be a special open meeting at Spinners' hall, 22 Middle street, Nov. 13, 1903, at 8 o'clock. Carpenters, cabinet makers, shop carpenters and machine workers are especially invited. General Secretary Duffy of U. B. of C. and J. of A., Brother William J. Shields of Boston, will speak and other prominent speakers will be present. There will be a varied entertainment and refreshments will be served.

Per order, LOCAL UNION, No. 49.

THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

NO REDUCTION

Of the Textile Operatives' Wages in Lowell

Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills will not say whether or not there is likely to be a reduction in the wages of the cotton operatives in Lowell, as in Fall River and other cities.

Agents of other mills, however, have stated that there will be no reduction in the wages of the textile operatives.

"I do not want to be interviewed on the question," was all Mr. Southworth would say when asked to make a statement.

One of Mr. Southworth's bosses, Treasurer Arthur T. Lyman, representing the major portion of the mill interests of this city, said last evening that he was not aware that any reduction in wages was contemplated by the mills in this city.

He explained that when the increase of 10 per cent. was made in the wages of operatives in the cotton mills at Fall River, New Bedford and other southern New England points, about a year and a half ago, the increase was not met by the Lowell mills nor others in the northern portion of New England, and the present reduction at Fall River simply places the mills there substantially on the same wage-paying basis as exists at Lowell and elsewhere north of Boston.

WIDESPREAD CUT

25,000 Mill Hands Will Have Pay Reduced

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 12—The news that orders had been issued in Fall River to reduce the wages of cotton mill operatives in that city ten per cent. on November 23, was the most unwelcome piece of intelligence that Rhode Island mill towns have heard for several years.

All indications point to a general reduction in this state and in those Massachusetts and Connecticut mills controlled by the Rhode Island interests, these outside mills, including the Hebron Manufacturing company at Hebronville; Dodgville mills at Dodgeville; Attleboro Manchaug company, at Manchaug; Blackstone company at Blackstone; Rendville mills of Hyde Park, all in Massachusetts; the Ponemah mill of Taftville, Wauregan, Quinebaugh, Attawaughan, Williamville, Baltouville and other plants in eastern Connecticut.

It is regarded as a practical certainty that orders will be issued from the mill offices here ordering a widespread cut which will affect 25,000 operatives.

One of the leading treasurers here states that the mills in this city, the Pawtuxet and Blackstone valleys and at New Bedford, which raised wages ten per cent. a year and a half ago, will undoubtedly reduce wages, following the lead of Fall River in this as in raising wages. He said that the mills in southern New England had been paying since the last increase at the rate of seven to ten per cent. higher wages than their competitors in Lowell and vicinity.

Another local treasurer said the reduction in wages had been regarded as a foregone conclusion for some time. Now that the Fall River mills had taken the initiative it was certain that the mill men here would gladly follow suit and end what was becoming an intolerable expensive affair.

The date for the reduction here will in all probability be the same as that in Fall River, November 23.

STRIKE BEGUN

Great Labor Trouble is on in Chicago

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—At 4 o'clock the long-expected and often deferred struggle between the union employes of the Chicago City railway and the company began and when the residents of the south and southwest sides of the city started for their places of business they were without their usual transportation facilities.

Beginning at midnight the trainmen gradually took their cars to the seven barns of the company scattered throughout the system and left them there. In the shops, barns and powerhouses the union workers laid down their tools and quit, declaring that they will remain idle until the company consents to arbitrate the issue that brought on the controversy.

Notwithstanding statements by officials of the company that no attempts would be made to run cars today except for postal service a few passenger cars were started this morning early on various lines. The result was trouble, almost instantly, the first instance reported being the intimidation and flight of a non-union crew on the Cottage Grove avenue line. The cars were without passengers. That disturbance might be expected today was indicated by the wide distribution of a proclamation by Mayor Carter Harrison warning citizens to keep off the streets along the lines of the city railway.

POLICE ARE READY.

With general orders to remain in reserve and take no part in the strike unless ordered, and then only to protect property, details of police were sent to the various car barns. The first car started was a mail car, leaving the barns at Thirty-ninth street and Cottage Grove avenue. It was not harmed during its entire trip. In all 205 policemen were detailed to the different car barns. Following the trip of the mail car efforts were made by the street car company to move passenger cars with non-union crews. Four trains were started on the Cottage Grove avenue cable line bound toward the business district. At Fourteenth street an obstruction upon the rails blocked the trains. A crowd of strikers had assembled and shouts and jeers greeted the train crews. A shower of stones followed and car windows were demolished.

ONE MAN HURT.

One man, a non-union conductor, is said to have been injured in the first clash.

A mail car following the first passenger train, was also derailed near the scene of the blockade. Besides the police detailed for service at the several barns, as many more were quickly made available to respond to emergency calls.

A car on the Wentworth avenue line was blocked at VanBuren street by trucks and delivery wagons which gathered by the score, locked wheels and refused to move. Cars of the Union Traction company also helped to make the blockade complete. Thousands of pedestrians on their way to work massed in the streets adding to the confusion and hampering the police in their efforts to clear a way for the stalled car.

Another cable train was derailed at 47th street on the Cottage Grove avenue line by a crowd of strike sympathizers.

A horseshoe was wedged in the cable and brought the train to a standstill. The gripman was injured by the shock and was removed to a drug store. A physician called to attend him is said to have inquired if he had a union button. On receiving a negative reply he said:

"Take him to the barns. They will attend to him there," and refused to examine the gripman's injuries.

TO BREAK STRIKE.

It soon became apparent that determined effort was being made by the company to break the strike at the inception. The passenger cars on the Cottage Grove and Wentworth avenue lines came along quickly as soon as mail cars were safely out of sight. No policemen rode in the cars which were almost invariably empty. Patrons apparently preferred to walk or make long detours to steam and elevated lines rather than risk injury.

The first passenger car on the Wentworth avenue line carried two women. Strikers say that the women were put there by the street car company to test the attitude of the union toward passengers. This was the car which was promptly blockaded by teamsters.

The strike was ordered at an early morning mass meeting of conductors, motormen and gripmen which acted with only four dissenting votes. The strike is to enforce a demand for a wage increase of 25 per cent. and recognition of the union. About 5000 employes are involved and 220 miles of surface track, part cable and part electric.

MAIL CARS RUNNING.

Officials of the union, fearing interference with the operation of the United States mail service would result in calling in troops from Fort Sheridan to protect the cars, instructed motormen on mail cars to report for duty as usual.

Union men who reported at the various barns to take out the mail cars were told by the barn bosses, it is said, that they must take off their union buttons if they intended to work. This a number of the men refused to do.

At the barn at 39th and State streets the strikers distributed buttons to would-be passengers bearing a picture of a street car and the legend:

"Stand for principle. I will walk."

UNION MEN TURNED DOWN.

The railway company refused the services of a union crew for a mail car sent out on 63d street. The car was manned by a non-union crew and the strikers said that the company had played one of its strongest cards for federal interference. The mail car that was stopped by the blockade in Cottage Grove avenue was manned by union men.

The union men asserted that public sympathy was with them.

Two omnibus companies had scores of buses through the city, carrying passengers to the steam and elevated roads. In addition, teamsters and drivers were carrying passengers to work from all parts of the south side to the down-town district.

The mayor's attitude is shown by a proclamation adjuring all curiosity seekers to keep off the streets and warning against crowds.

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HOME IN FLAMES

Occupants Awakened by Watch Dog

By Associated Press to The Sun

MERRIMAC, Mass., Nov. 12.—Aroused by the barking of a faithful watchdog, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thompson awoke early today to find their home in flames and with scarcely time for them to escape with their lives from the burning building. From the house the flames spread quickly to a large stock barn adjoining and this building, which contained 11 cows, four horses and a large quantity of hay, was destroyed with its contents. While assisting in removing furniture from the burning house, Hayden Patten, a fireman, was struck by a falling beam and painfully but not seriously injured.

The loss is $10,000 and is partly covered by insurance.

DEBATES ARRANGED

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN CLUB HAS SEVERAL ENGAGEMENTS.

The regular meeting of the Benjamin Franklin Debating club was held last evening and arrangements were made for several public debates for the coming winter season.

The question submitted by the Men's league of the First Congregational church of Dracut was as follows:

"Resolved, That all taxes should be abolished, save one single tax levied on the value of land, irrespective of the value of improvements in or on it."

The Franklin club last night appointed as the team to represent it in this tilt, Messrs. Harold Caverly, Addison E. Avery and Winfred C. MacBrayne. The date of the debate has been set as December 16, and it will be held at the First (Hillside) Congregational church, the Navy Yard.

Arrangements were also completed with Messrs. Mevis, Smith and Cutler representing the Solon Stevens Debating club of the First Congregational church, for the series, the first of which will occur January 7. Messrs. Pillsbury, Coyne and Cannon will be the first team to take the stand. The question will be: "Resolved, That immigration is detrimental to the United States," and the Franklin club will uphold the negative.

During the literary program interesting essays were given by two of the members. James Rielly read a paper on "Elocution," and James Cannon one on "The Growth of the Correspondence School." Recitations were also given. Mr. Avery was critic of the evening. There were guests present from other literary societies in the city.

GOLD TRIMMED.

You can see a set of artificial teeth that will make your mouth water by calling at the office of Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, the only dentist who extracts teeth without your feeling it. He uses Eu-Co-Ia, that does it.

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A New York man, who requests us to withhold his name, writes: "For years my head has itched and itched, annoying me fearfully at times. I tried ZEMA-CURA. It gave me instant relief. I continued to use it and now I am cured." All druggists sell ZEMA-CURA. $1.00.

SWAM EIGHT MILES

BOY MADE DESPERATE EFFORT TO ESCAPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—William Cole, a 19-year-old boy, whose home is in Boston, yesterday confessed to having escaped several times from jail. He pleaded guilty before Judge Newburger in the court of general sessions to a charge of stealing a $2 watch chain from Solomon Perowsky of No. 65 Bowery on Oct. 21.

The record of the young man, so the officers declared, proved that he had escaped from prison in Massachusetts, had then come here, where he was sentenced to six months for vagrancy, and after serving five months and two weeks of his sentence, had "left," as he expressed it, "one night."

In order to escape Cole jumped into the water, and, so the story goes, swam eight miles to Cow Bay and made his escape. Judge Newburger said:

"I do not think this fellow should be sent to a reformatory, as he has certainly started out on a career of crime. However, I will remand him for one week to investigate the stories about him."

RAISED $1 BILLS

GIRL IS CHARGED WITH MAKING FIGURE "10."

By Associated Press to The Sun

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 12—The federal grand jury yesterday returned an indictment against Dale Matthews, a young woman from Angola, this state, who was attending the Marion Musical college and was arrested on Saturday for raising $1 bills to $10. The fraud had been committed by making a "naught" with white ink to the right of the figure 1 in each corner of the face of the bill, and blurring the back of the bill so as to practically destroy the figures. The work on some of the bills was well done, but on others was very clumsy.

Asked how she happened to think of raising bills, Miss Matthews said: "I don't know. I had read of men making large bills out of small ones and I could not get it out of my mind. I did not know it was wrong, for I did not think of that part of it. I only know that I was nearly out of money and that I would have to quit school unless I got some, somewhere."

MACHINISTS DANCE

FOURTH ANNUAL SOCIAL WAS LARGELY ATTENDED.

The fourth annual social and dance under the auspices of the International Association of Machinists was held at Associate hall last evening with a good sized attendance. Music for dancing was furnished by Kittredge's orchestra.

The officers of the party were as follows:

General manager, Robert Thompson; assistant manager, C. H. Peard; floor director, Merville Harris; assistant floor director, P. C. Murray; chief aid, Herbert Hilliard; aids, James McEvoy, Joe Quinn, Fred Burrow, Adimore Boudreaux, Jerry Taylor, Ralph Frost, J. McGrail, John Morrissey, W. Breaky, Thomas Terney, Clyde Whitten; reception committee, E. H. Burke, Maurice Butterfield, Tim Kearns, John Lyons, William Lyness, Thomas Carrey, J. Enright, Eddie Young, Walter Witham, Geo. Wartson, Frank Scott.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of B. F. Butler Relief corps, No. 55, auxiliary to Post 42, G. A. R., was held last evening at Memorial hall. One proposition was received and plans for conducting a booth at the coming bazaar for the benefit of the Sailors' and Soldiers' monument were discussed. Inspection drill was held and was in charge of Inspector Mrs. Fannie Parker of West Acton, Mass. Previous to the meeting the members were served a collation.

PROBATE COURT.

Wills presented for probate Tuesday: F. A. Hills, Cambridge; G. W. Pierce, Woburn; Mary Brown, Framingham; C. S. Bean, Lowell; Frances Parks, Newton; F. J. Rowe, Melrose; F. E. Abbott, Cambridge; H. K. Hudson, Chelmsford; Eunice Chandler, Hudson; Harriet Fisk, Somerville; C. B. Bourne, Newton; Martha Sturtevant, Woburn; Mary Ware, Cambridge; Jason Fuller, Lowell; F. W. Payne, Newton; S. G. Mack, Lowell;

Administrations: E. B. O'Brien, Cambridge; E. P. Smith, Stoneham; S. O. Covell, Somerville; Albert Nott, Newton; W. E. Parmenter, Arlington; J. L. Phillips, Wilmington; Hiram Wood, Cambridge; E. G. Morse, Medford; J. J. Walsh, Newton; J. F. Welsh, Waltham; F. Jones, Somerville; H. H. Jones, Melrose; G. A. Johnson, Waltham; Robert Milligan, Watertown; Levia Stevenson, Newton; Adelaide Benton, Stoneham; William Nixon, Cambridge; Julia Mullins, Cambridge.

SUPT. J. E. DODGE

Of Hood's Farm Married in Milan, Quebec

By Associated Press to The Sun

MILAN, Que., Nov. 12.—One of the prettiest weddings seen in this town for many a year was that of James E. Dodge, the superintendent of Hood's Farm at Lowell, Mass., and Miss Annie MacDonald which took place at the home of the bride's mother at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. McLeod in the parlor of the commodious home under a floral canopy. The entrance to the house, the halls and various rooms were tastefully decorated. The ceremony was witnessed by a large circle of the friends and relatives of the contracting parties. The bride was attended by Miss Maud Dodge, sister of the bridegroom, and the best man was Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, brother of the bride.

The bride wore a beautiful princess gown of cream colored Bedford cord with Irish point lace and pearl trimmings and carried a bouquet of white roses.

Starting on her honeymoon, the bride wore a pretty travelling dress of navy blue broadcloth, Persian trimming and hat to match.

The bridemaid was attired in a dress of grey crepe de chine, trimmed with grey satin over grey silk taffeta and carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Dodge departed for Toronto, Mr. Dodge's native place, while the assembled friends wound up the delightful evening with a dance. During their honeymoon they will visit Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York and Washington.

After the ceremony the happy couple received the congratulations of their closest friends and after a wedding repast they repaired to MacDonald Hall where a reception was held and about 200 invited guests called to extend their good wishes. Refreshments were served while an orchestra discoursed sweet music. They were made the recipients of many valuable presents including an array of silverware.

Mr. Dodge is a graduate of Wisconsin agricultural college and has been five years at Hood's farm. The bride has been in Lowell until a few months ago, when she went home to prepare for the wedding. The happy couple have the best wishes of a great many friends. They will occupy the superintendent's house at Hood's farm and will be at home to their friends after January, 1904.

STRIKE FINDING

Not Binding on Miners or Operators

By Associated Press to The Sun

SUNBURY, Pa., Nov. 12.—Judge Auten has rendered an opinion, in which he decides that in the eyes of the law the anthracite strike commission finding is not binding on either the miners or the operators. This is the first legal decision on the subject.

The matter was brought before court by the Llewellyn Mining company. The company refused to pay back wages allotted by the strike commission and the miners of the Royal Oak colliery brought suit before Justice of the Peace Lloyd for the wages. The justice gave judgment in favor of the miners.

The company then began mandamus proceedings against Justice Lloyd and the court decided in favor of the company.

RATE FOR COAL

RAILROADS AGREE ON $3 A TON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 12.—Representative of every railroad entering this city from the east have agreed to make a rate of $3 a ton for coal from the mines of Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Indian Territory and adjacent fields. When the price of coal goes high enough to make it profitable to import coal at such a rate, it will go into effect.

In the meantime independent mines in the northern Colorado field are resuming. Nine mines are now working there with a total of 280 men and a daily output of 800 tons. Negotiations are under way for the resumption of every independent producer in the district by next Monday. The settlement is on an eight-hour basis with some concessions in wages.

SPEEDY BALLOONING

RATE OF 29 MILES AN HOUR ATTAINED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Nov. 12.—One of the greatest triumphs of dirigible ballooning was achieved today by the Lebaudy brothers, who, in one hour and 35 minutes covered the 46 miles separating Moisson and the Champ de Mars, Paris. The balloon for part of the trip attained the extraordinarily high speed of two-thirds of a mile a minute, the mean speed being 29 miles per hour.

For some time the Lebaudys had been preparing the balloon for the voyage and were determined to exceed any performance made by Santos Dumont.

WILL NOT RESIGN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Nov. 12.—Premier Gioletti, yielding to the insistence of King Victor Emmanuel, has abandoned his intention of resigning.

CARPENTERS' UNION.

Tomorrow evening the Carpenters' union will be visited by National Treasurer Duffy of Indianapolis and District Organizer William J. Shields of Boston, and an open meeting will be held, at which addresses will be made by these two officers. An entertainment has been arranged and refreshments will be served during the evening.

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BIGAMY CHARGE

Lighthouse Keeper Under Arrest

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—Asa H. Josselyn now realizes that his second wife was thoroughly alive. He was placed under arrest upon a charge of polygamy, instituted by the woman he thought had jumped into the sea from the rocks of Thatchers island. Josselyn was arrested by Patrolman Andrew Brauer of Division 3 at the home of his mother, 157 Lexington street, East Boston, shortly after 5 p.m. yesterday.

As the morning papers containing an interview with Mrs. Linda Wylie Josselyn apprised Josselyn of her intention to assist in his prosecution for having married Mrs. Cora F. S. Trommer, he was not surprised by the appearance of the policeman. Josselyn had previously retained an attorney and had been at his mother's home nearly all afternoon waiting for the service of the warrant.

Mrs. Alice L. Josselyn, the prisoner's mother, reached station 3 before her son and the policeman. She offered herself as surety. Josselyn sat in the guardroom while arrangements for admitting him to bail were made by Bail Commissioner Nathan Barnett. Acting under instructions from Asst. Dist. Att'y Sughrue he fixed the amount of the bond at $2000.

Mrs. Josselyn was qualified to furnish that amount, as she said she owned the buildings at 157 Lexington street and 38 Sumner street, East Boston.

Josselyn gave his age as 36, and replied to the question of whether he was married: "I think I am."

"Too much married, aren't you?" asked the lieutenant.

"It seems so," said Josselyn, smiling.

After the acceptance of bail Josselyn returned to East Boston with his mother to the home where Mrs. Trommer and his two children are.

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Miss Maud McCarthy, late of London, violinist; Mme. Rosa Linde, contralto, and Miss Nelly Wright, soprano, of New York; Rudolph Kruset, the last acquisition of the Boston Symphony, cellist; the original Temple quartet and others to be announced.

Tickets for the season $3, admitting two persons to all recitals and rehearsals; now on sale at Austin's Music store.

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WEDNESDAY, Dec. 2—Congressman Littlefield of Maine. Lecture, "Education and Civilization."

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 13—President Russell H. Conwell of Philadelphia. Lecture, "The Silver Crown."

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 17—Schubert male quartet of Boston; Elvie Burnette, reader.

TUESDAY, March 13—Redpath Grand Concert Co. of New York.

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EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

DEMENTED MAN

Missing From His Home at Brookside

John Henry, a resident of Brookside, has been missing from his home since Monday morning.

Henry is slightly demented and his relatives are extremely anxious as to his whereabouts.

A big black and white Newfoundland dog, Mr. Henry's constant companion, is also missing, and it is believed that he went with his master, a fact that affords the family a certain feeling of security. The dog is unusually intelligent and would, in the opinion of the family, in some way give the alarm if anything serious happened to his master.

Mr. Henry is 30 years old, five feet four inches in height, medium build, smooth face, light complexion. He wore a dark suit, blue cap, and negligee shirt. He did not wear a necktie. Any information concerning him will be gladly received at this office and communicated to the relatives.

THE OPEN SHOP

Organized Labor Declares Against It

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—A resolution was introduced at the American Federation of Labor convention today to the effect that the "so-called open shop" whether under private or government control "cannot be recognized by organized labor."

The preamble states that the resolution is based on the Miller case growing out of trouble in the government printing office and President Roosevelt's decision in the matter.

JOHN SMITH IMPROVING.

John A. Smith, the well-known junk dealer, who was taken to the Lowell hospital Monday suffering from a paralytic shock, and who was in a very critical condition, showed signs of improvement this morning by holding a short conversation with the people at the hospital. The authorities feel confident that he will recover.

SEVERE STORM

DID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE IN WESTERN STATES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 12—The whole Pacific coast from British Columbia to Southern California and the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Wyoming, Utah and western Colorado were swept by a storm yesterday that has resulted in almost total prostration of telegraphic service over that territory and in the mountains has all but tied up the railroads in a regular midwinter blockade. The storm, which is still raging with unabated fury, is severest on the coast. So far, however, no marine disasters have been reported. In the gorges of Cascade mountains snow is reported to be four feet deep on the level.

LYDIA YEAMANS-TITUS.

Lydia Yeamans-Titus is the magnet that is drawing immense crowds to the Casto theatre this week, and they are thoroughly satisfied with the current offering at the popular Shattuck street theatre. Manager Haynes has displayed excellent judgment in the selection of this week's bill and it is one that all will enjoy. In addition to Miss Titus, the program contains some of the leading acts of the vaudeville world. Reserved seats can be ordered by telephone, 815-3.

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WILLIAM H. WHITE

THE LATE WILLIAM H. WHITE.

Prominent Resident of Lowell is Dead

William Henry White, one of Lowell's leading citizens and businessmen, died suddenly this morning at his farm in Pittsfield, N. H. The deceased was 74 years of age.

Mr. White was born in Woburn, Mass., Oct. 26, 1829. He received his early education in the common elementary schools of Woburn and Winchester, Mass., and at Sheppard's academy.

From his 20th year he was apprenticed as a machinist, during which time he persistently pursued his studies in geometry and draughting, after which he accepted a position in the locomotive shops of the Boston & Lowell railroad at East Cambridge, Mass., and later for a while was employed as an engineer between Boston and Lowell. He then accepted a position as assistant master mechanic at Hornellsville, N. Y., nd then at Dunkirk, N. Y., (terminus at that time) of the New York and Erie railroad.

He was the first man to occupy and put in working order the extensive works known for many years as the Brooks Locomotive works. While there he was offered a partnership in the then very profitable business of purchasing and sawing all foreign woods for furniture, pianos and other various work, with a mill in Winchester, Mass., and salesroom in Boston.

The mill in Winchester was a few years later destroyed by fire. Selling his interest in that business he then turned his attention to the leather business, and soon was induced by a Boston firm to locate and build in Montreal an extensive modern tannery with complete equipments. This was most satisfactorily accomplished, locating at the junction of the Lachine Canal and Grand Trunk railroad. He remained with the firm about five years and returning to this state he located in Lowell in 1863, and began the manufacture of leather.

The force employed at first was very small, only himself and one or two men. The business was gradually increased, for the goods made were of a character to be well appreciated by the best trade and it gradually increased in its details years by year. He had associated with him a brother and later a Mr. Kilburn of Boston, and established a salesroom in Boston, under the name of White Bros. & Kilburn, and later Mr. Kilburn retiring, a son of each partner was admitted, forming the firm of White Bros. & Sons, who continued business for several years. This partnership came to an end by purchase in 1887. Mr White and his son, E. L., formed a partnership then by admitting two other sons, H. K. and W. T. White under the name of White Bros. & Co. Within several years the above firm consolidated with other leather companies and formed what is known as the American Hide & Leather company. The companies were reorganized and new officers elected and Mr. White was one of the large stockholders of the new concern.

The deceased was a republican in politics and a member of the common council of this city in 1885. He was a member of the High street Congregational church and a director of the Lowell Young Men's Christian association, a director in the Prescott National bank and a trustee of the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank. He resided at 250 Nesmith street

TEXTILE SCHOOL

Defeated the Somerville High Eleven

The Lowell Textile school football team went to Somerville yesterday afternoon and defeated the Somerville High and Latin team by a score of 5 to 0. In fact, the local team played two different teams, the second eleven playing against the Textile school in the first half, while in the second half the first eleven lined up.

The lineup and summary:

LOWELL TEXTILE. SOMERVILLE.
Midwood le.....re Bishop (Burns)
Prior lt.....rt Driscoll
Dewey lg.....rg Sewell (Hall)
Jury c.....c Lamont (Graves)
Julia rg.....lg Dohig (Stacy)
Brookhouse (Lucy) rt.....lt Frost
Donnellan (Kent) re...le Trueman (Davis)
Currier qb.....qb Elliott (Hiair)
Baldwin lhb.....rhb Bowlay (Hafford)
Curtis rhb.....lhb Bean
Church fb.....fb Lakin (McLaughlin)

Score, Lowell Textile 5, Somerville High 0. Touchdown, Curtis. Umpire, Storey. Referee, White. Linesmen, Stone and Moore. Timers, Wentworth and Marra. Time, 15m. halves.

Best dancers in city will be at Prescott hall, Friday evening.

COMMUNICATION

Editor of The Sun:

Please inform me through The Sun whether this is Fred Roark's second or third year as purchasing agent, and oblige a reader of The Sun.

He is serving his third year as purchasing agent.—Ed.

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

Last season nearly 50 honoraries neglected to buy their tickets till after the first recital. This seems entirely unnecessary and will not happen this year if one secures his seats today. Besides the most desirable seats are rapidly disappearing. The recitals are of such high quality and so attractive that one should not hesitate long in buying a season ticket especially since it is far cheaper than single tickets. The hall is going to be full, and the enjoyment is so much enhanced when sitting in a desirable seat. To hear Ruby Cutter Savage and her husband, Paul Savage, who appear at the first recital, next Sunday, is alone worth almost the price of a season ticket. Ruby Cutter is in the first rank of American sopranos, and is soon to enter grand opera. Of Paul Savage, who is the nephew of Rev. J. Minot Savage of Boston, the Paris Figaro says: "His singing at the concert under the patronage of the Countess de Caillogon was remarkable for its repose and breadth of style. Mons. Savage showed that he had splendid control of his voice for either salon work or the larger field of opera." Each recital will be a gem in itself. Go to Austin's today.

GLAZIERS STRIKE

HAS STOPPED WORK IN A FACTORY.

By Associatrd Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12—As a result of a strike of 36 glazers, the J. P. Mathieu & Company, glazed kid factory, will suspend operations this week and about 700 hands will be idle. The glazers are piece workers and complain that the firm has handled large sized skins which require more labor and time and on which they cannot make fair wages without an advance from the old scale of 10 cents a dozen of all sizes, to 12 cents a dozen.

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ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

SALE AND SUPPER

BY LADIES OF IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH.

A sale and supper were held by the Ladies Aid Society of the Immanuel Baptist church at the home of Mrs. Mary Gillespie, 121 Lincoln street, last evening.

The sale proper commenced about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, but supper, which drew forth the large crowd, did not take place until 6. Four tables were exhibited.

The tables and their managers were: Mystery table—Mrs. Eli Harris and Mrs. Elisha Harris; Candy table—Miss Etta Estabrook, Miss Etta Wedge; Fancy table—Mrs. A. M. Lawson and Mrs. T. F. Severance; Ice Cream table—Mrs. Alice Otley, Miss Sadie Shrigley and Miss Edith Wedge. The supper was personally supervised by Mrs. Gillespie.

One of the most attractive articles presented was an album quilt, with names on it of hundreds of persons, worked in red silk. Thirty-five squares made up the quilt. All of the ladies in the society assisted in the making of this. Several fancy articles sent by the family of William P. Edwards, of Monongahela, Pa., formerly a member of the church, were disposed of.

The entertainment was under the direction of W. J. Beaven. The pianists were Misses Etta Estabrook and Gertrude Harris. Songs were given by Miss Isabel Gillespie.

About $60 was realized from the sale.

INDUSTRY COUNCIL

DEFEATED JOHN ERICKSON IN BOWLING TOURNAMENT.

Industry council defeated John Erickson council in the Royal Arcanum league last night at Les Miserables alleys. It was easy going for the winners, for they took all three strings and the game. Simpson of the winning team was high man with a three-string total of 231 pins, while Ellison's single string of 83 was the best made during the evening. The score:

Industry—Durrough 226, Richard 203, Walker 224, Simpson 231, O'Donnell 201; total 1086.

John Erickson—Ahlbert 225, Ellison 226, Palm 175, Pihl 200, Peterson 227; total 1045.

OPENING OF RESERVED SEAT PLAN.

The reserved seat sale for the Star Course of entertainments, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., will open at the Association building Friday morning at 9 o'clock. The advance sale of course tickets has been very satisfactory, there being eight hundred disposed of already, which, with the single tickets that will probably be purchased for the different entertainments, will likely make an audience of a thousand people at each performance. The opening number on Monday evening is certainly a strong attraction and one that cannot fail to please.

The New York Herald, speaking of the well-known Park Sisters, says: "The Park Sisters were even better than ever. The harmonious blending of those instruments was as perfect as that of the human voice, while their execution was marvelously rendered. Miss Georgie Park's execution on the mandolin cannot be excelled."

Of Frederic Martin the Burlington (Vt.,) Free Press says: "Mr. Martin is the fortunate possessor of an excellent basso-cantante voice, well trained and excellently managed. His rendition of Meyerbeer's aria 'The Monk,' was dramatic, forceful and sombre, while in 'Vision Fair' from Massenet's opera 'Herodiade,' he showed imaginative power of a keen and superior order."

CAUGHT IN SHAFT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FRANKLIN, N. H., Nov. 12—Leonard Philbrook, aged 83, an employe at the Franklin Woolen mills, was caught by a rapidly revolving shaft yesterday and killed.

Kennedy's Oysterettes

The Oyster Cracker with a taste to it.

IRON-OX Tablets For the Bowels.

Not purgative nor cathartic, but gently laxative and tonic. For sale by druggists, 25 cents.

A Large Bottle of the Best Hair Tonic at the Lowest Price, That's

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RECOVERS HIS SON

FAMILY WAS SEPARATED DURING SLAVERY DAYS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—William J. Taylor, a colored man, who has resided on West street, Lynn, for many years, has at last found his son from whom he was separated in slavery 45 years ago. The son, Lewis C. Taylor, reached Lynn from the South last Monday. Before the war William Taylor was a slave in North Carolina. In 1858 he was sold. He had a son born to him a few months after the sale and he never saw him until the meeting in Lynn this week. Mr. Taylor came North in 1862 and settled in West Lynn. There he established a grocery business and made many friends. Wishing to learn something about family he left in the South many years ago, he began advertising and soon got trace of one of his brothers. It was through him that he learned of the whereabouts of his son. Lewis Taylor, the son, is engaged in the orange growing business in Florida, where he has a wife and family. It is understood to be his intention, however, to remove to the North so that he can be near his father.

APPETITE'S GONE

Food eaten without appetite always causes gastric disturbances, because unless the glands of the stomach are stimulated by a desire for food no digestive juices are formed. Consequently the food is wasted and clogs up the bowels. For Loss of Appetite and Constipation there is nothing to equal the Bitters. Try a dose before meals. It also cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Insomnia and Malaria, Fever and Ague.

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Any woman can cure her husband, son or brother, or any one of liquor drinking, by secretly placing White Ribbon remedy in his coffee, tea or food without his knowledge. It is entirely odorless and tasteless. Any good and faithful woman can wipe out this fearful drink evil and permanently stop the craving for liquor. By degrees the patient gets a distaste for intoxicants and finally leaves off altogether. It is wonderful. Many a hard drinker has thus been reclaimed and restored to his family and friends. White Ribbon remedy is easily given by following the simple directions.

The only drink cure endorsed and sold by members of a Woman's Christian Temperance union.

Sold in every drug store, 50c and $1. Trial package free by writing or calling on MRS. A. M. TOWNSEND (for years secretary of a W. C. T. U.) 218 Tremont street, Boston, Mass. Special agents in Lowell, Mass., Ellingwood & Co., corner Merrimack and Central streets.

TWO FRAUDS.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickster, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

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The Good Old Summer

time is almost in and we must turn our attention to the Fall and Winter Clothing, and the

BAY STATE DYE WORKS,

is the place to bring ladies or gents' Clothing, where the work of dyeing or cleaning or pressing is done at the lowest prices consistent with first-class work. The more time we have the better job we can do, so get your goods in now before the rush. Remember the place,

BAY STATE DYE WORKS

54 Prescott Street.

A MEETING OF TWO LADIES

"Why, how do you do, Miss Bobs! I am awfully glad to see you, dear. Are you well? I am glad of that. O, say, is that the dress you were telling me about the last time I saw you?"

"Yes, how do you like it?"

"O, it's just too nice for anything. It fits awfully good. Who made it for you?"

"Why, don't you know Herman Snyder, the famous New York ladies' tailor, is here now and makes all my clothes. His place is

90 CHELMSFORD STREET

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUSES.

The Democrats of Lowell are hereby requested to meet in their respective ward rooms in caucus on Thursday, Nov. 19, 1903, for the purpose of nominating by direct vote one (1) candidate for mayor, one (1) candidate for chief of the department of supplies and nine (9) aldermen as provided by Chapter 537, Acts of 1902, and also to nominate in each ward three (3) candidates for the common council, to nominate candidates for the school committee in Wards 1, 2, 4, 7 and 9, to nominate candidates for overseer of the poor in Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7.

The caucuses shall be called and held under the provisions of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts and the Acts in amendment thereto. The Australian ballot shall be used at all caucuses.

The caucuses shall be held at the place and the hour named below:

Ward One—Jackson hall, Ward room, at 7 p. m.

Ward Two—Basement Green school at 4 p. m.

Ward Three—Ward room, Engine house, Branch street, at 7 p. m.

Ward Four—Basement Lyon Street school at 4 p. m.

Ward Five—Keyes' Auction room, Green street, at 4 p. m.

Ward Six—Vacant store, No. 416 Bridge street, at 7 p. m.

Ward Seven—Ward room, Engine house, Fletcher street, at 7 p. m.

Ward Eight—Basement Lincoln Street school at 7 p. m.

Ward Nine—Ward room, Engine house, High street, at 4 p. m.

All candidates are requested to file their names at Democratic headquarters, McCarthy's building, Palmer street, rooms No. 1 and 2, on or before Monday, Nov. 16th, 1903, at 9 o'clock p. m., with Patrick J. O'Brien, treasurer Democratic City Committee, or Joseph H. Callahan clerk.

Each candidate for mayor shall deposit with his name the sum of $150, the sum of $125 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for the chief of department of supplies shall deposit with his name the sum of $150, the sum of $125 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for alderman shall deposit with his name the sum of $50, the sum of $40 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for the common council in wards 1, 2, 4, 5 and 9, shall deposit with his name the sum of $10, the sum of $5 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for overseer of the poor shall deposit with his name the sum of $25, the sum of $20 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

Each candidate for school committee shall deposit with his name the sum of $25, the sum of $20 to be returned to each unsuccessful candidate.

The caucuses shall be called to order and be presided over by the chairman of the ward committee of each ward, who shall preside until a permanent chairman is chosen.

(Signed)
DEMOCRATIC CITY COMMITTEE,
THOMAS F. QUINN,
Chairman.
JAMES H. GRAY,
Secretary.

THE SUN EXTRA

6 O'CLOCK

ESTES WILL DIE

Flynn is Charged With Intent to Murder

By Associated Press to The Sun

WHITMAN, Mass., Nov. 12.—After some words had passed between Dennis M. Flynn and Floran T. Estes, edgemakers at the Regal Shoe company's factory here, while the men were at their adjoining benches today, Flynn, it is alleged, shot Estes with a 32 calibre revolver. Estes was taken to the Brockton hospital, in a critical condition, the bullet having entered the nose and lodged at the base of the brain and he probably will not recover. Flynn was placed under arrest.

When the men started in work today Flynn turned to Estes and asked him: "If he was as good a man today as he was yesterday."

Estes replied that he was always as good a man as any other in the room. At this Flynn raised a revolver, which he had in his hand, and fired three shots. The first took effect, the ball passing inside Estes' nose and going to the back of the head, where it lodged. Estes did not lose consciousness, but started to run, thereby escaping the other two shots, which went wild, one narrowly missing another workman. Flynn was at once secured and word sent to the local police and to Dr. Lovell. The physician ordered the removal of Estes to the Brockton hospital, where an attempt was made to locate the bullet in the man's head, but up to noon this had proved unsuccessful. The hospital physicians stated that Estes probably will not survive.

Flynn was taken by Chief of Police P. H. Smith to Abington, where a hearing was held in the Second District court, the man being charged with assault with intent to murder. Flynn pleaded not guilty and waived a reading of the complaint. The case was continued until a week from today, to await the result of the injury to Estes and in default of $5,000 bonds, Flynn was taken to the house of correction at Plymouth.

Flynn admitted that he had done the shooting, but claimed that it was necessary to "protect his honor." He said that the men in the making room, where he and Estes worked, had been continually "hazing" him for some time past, making fun of him at every opportunity and in other ways making things unpleasant for him. He claimed that Estes had been the worst offender in this respect and that more than once he had tried to get Estes to fight with him and so settle the matter, but the latter had always refused. Finally, Flynn claims, he decided that he must bring affairs to a head, and to that end he addressed Estes this morning with the peculiar question. Estes' reply was so unsatisfactory, he said, that to protect his honor he felt it necessary to shoot his fellow-workman.

Flynn, who is 53 years old, lives in Rockland, where he has a wife, but no children. Estes is sixty years old and has a wife and children at his home in Hanson.

THREW PEPPER

Tramp Tried to Blind Mrs. Mansfield

A villainous rascal of the hobo species attempted to blind Mrs. Susie Mansfield of White street by throwing pepper in her face at her home this forenoon.

He called at the house and asked for a cup of tea, which was given him. He lingered at the table, remarking that the tea was too hot to drink, and as Mrs. Mansfield approached the table he took a handful of pepper from his pocket and threw it at her, intending it for her eyes. She dodged it, however, and screamed. The tramp made good his escape.

Mrs. Mansfield telephoned to the police station and told the police her story. She described the man as well as she could. She said, he was a tramp about 40 years old, five feet seven or eight inches tall, heavy dark moustache and wore dark clothes.

"JACK THE PINCHER."

For the past few days young girls in Pawtucketville have complained of a man who in passing them on the street after dark caught hold of them and pinched them, then making his escape. A story got around yesterday to the effect that "The Pincher," as he was called, was hiding in an occupied house a short distance off Mammoth Road and the younger girls were much alarmed over the report. It is thought that the fellow under arrest may also be the assailant of the girls.

$250,000 FIRE IN ALBIA

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBIA, IOWA, NOV. 12.—FIRE THAT BROKE OUT EARLY TODAY IN THE LODES' DRY GOODS STORE, COMPLETELY DESTROYED THE BUSINESS PORTION OF THIS TOWN.

LOSS, $250,000.

MAY BE LYNCHED

Close Guard Kept on Negro Green

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Edward Green, a negro notorious in Mount Vernon, is under special guard in the Bronxville jail owing to fear that he will fall prey to lynchers. He is charged with having attacked a young woman employed as private secretary by former state senator Isaac N. Mills.

The victim of the assault was on her way home when a negro caught her by the throat and was strangling her. She drew a hat pin and jabbed him until he screamed with pain. He did not release his grip on her throat, however, until rescuers appeared in answer to the girl's shrieks for help. A posse quickly formed and after a long chase Green was arrested. When the news spread, the residents of Bronxville became furious and threats of mob vengeance were freely made. Special guards were hurried to the jail and it is thought Green will be protected. He declares he is innocent.

GUNBOAT CASTINE

HAS BEEN PLACED IN COMMISSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12—The gunboat Castine has been placed in commission at League Island and Commander Knight took charge of the vessel. A crew of 250 sailors and marines will be drafted and the Castine, within a week, will go to Newport News to coal.

No orders have been received as to her destination after leaving Newport News. Repairs are being rushed on the torpedo boat Hopkins and it is expected she will be ready to sail with the Castine.

FELL FORTY FEET

BOY PICKED UP FOR DEAD WAS NOT HURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12—Four-year-old Alexander White of 199 Athens street, South Boston, fell 40 feet from the roof of his home late yesterday afternoon, and is alive and uninjured today.

The child was playing on the roof and toppled over to the street. He was picked up for dead, but Dr. Keenan, who was summoned, could find no noticeable injury to the child. He was taken into the home by the father and later seemed to be without hurt.

FOR WOMAN'S EYE

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CUTICURA SOAP

Assisted by Cuticura Ointment is of priceless value to women, especially mothers.

A JOLLY TIME

BY THE COLLINSVILLE SOCIAL CLUB.

Last evening about 75 friends of Mr. Michael A. Corcoran, the well-known and popular timekeeper in the Merrimack print works and secretary of the Collinsville social club, called on him at his residence, 71 Butterfield street. It was a surprise party and fun reigned fast and furious after the crowd assembled. They played all kinds of games, such as whist and ping-pong, and there was vocal and instrumental music. Among the talent present was Mr. Tuttle, who in his sweet tenor voice rendered several beautiful sentimental ballads. Joe Hurley and Tommy Maguire were the pianists. One of the great features of the evening was the celebrated Dugan band, which rendered selections that would make Creatore turn green with envy. After the musical program the assembly was called to order by Charlie McCarthy, president of the Collinsville social club, and in a very neat little speech he complimented Mr. Corcoran upon the interest he had taken in the club, and in behalf of his brother members presented him with a valuable gold seal ring, and his estimable wife a dining room set of golden oak. This feature of the entertainment was a complete surprise. Mr. and Mrs. Corcoran expressed their appreciation of the tokens of friendship. The party was invited to partake of a bountiful spread and this was the occasion of much merriment as some of the postprandial addresses would make Tommy Byrne jealous.

After the banquet games, music and mirth occupied the rest of the time until after midnight.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

DEAF MUTE HANGED HIMSELF TO A TREE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HORTONVILLE, Mass., Nov. 12—Despondency on account of ill-health caused Calvin F. M. Berry, 32 years of age, a deaf mute, to commit suicide by hanging himself from a tree yesterday. His body was found last night suspended 25 feet from the ground. He is survived by a brother, also a deaf mute, with whom he lived, and a sister who lives in Providence.

CRAZY SOCIAL.

A crazy social was the attraction of the Westminster church on Tyler street last evening and fully half a hundred young folks enjoyed the evening's entertainment. Prizes were offered for the most absurdly dressed lady and gentleman. Mr. Edward McKillerick captured gentlemen's prize, while Miss Jennie McKillerick was awarded the ladies' prize. During the evening games were played which afforded those present plenty of amusement.

NEW YORK WANTS MONEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—Efforts of the city of New York, made annually for nearly 30 years, to have the United States government reimburse it for moneys expended "in defense of the national union" during the civil war, will be renewed during the present session of congress, when a petition will be again presented asking the national body to reimburse the city in the sum of $1,000,000 expended by it in arming and equipping troops to the number of almost 50 regiments.

STOPPED A RUNAWAY.

Frank J. McNally brought a runaway horse to a standstill yesterday afternoon about 4.30 o'clock. The horse belonged to Frye & Crawford and came rushing through Middle street at a rapid rate of speed. After going the length of Middle street the animal turned into Shattuck, but McNally stopped him before reaching Merrimack street.

Sale on new Jackets, new Suits, new Furs; Chris. Holmes' Specialty store, 124 and 126 Merrimack street.

FATALLY SHOT

WOMAN KILLED BECAUSE SHE REFUSED MARRIAGE OFFER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

GALLATINE, Mo., Nov. 12—Ida Astor was fatally shot last night by Elmer Venable, a well-known man of this city, because she had refused his offer of marriage. Venable, who is a widower, drove the girl from her own home by threatening her and shot her down in the street when she was begging for her life. The girl was shot four times, two of the wounds being mortal.

Venable disappeared in the dark and has not yet been apprehended.

TEST LIQUOR LAW

VERMONT STATUTE ATTACKED IN SUPREME COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MONTPELIER, Vt., Nov. 12.—The constitutionality of the state license law was attacked yesterday in the supreme court. The case was that of the state against Alwin T. Hazelton of Orange county. The respondent claims that the law is unconstitutional in that the section which permits farmers to sell cider by the barrel is class legislation, and also violates the interstate commerce law by giving an advantage to Vermont farmers over those in other states. Orange county is one of the strongest prohibition sections, and prohibitionists there hope that the license law will be declared unconstitutional.

SPEED FOR ELECTRIC CARS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12—A rate of speed not to exceed 10 miles an hour on traveled roads in thickly settled parts of cities and towns, of 15 miles an hour outside of business district and not in excess of 20 miles an hour where the railway is at one side of a traveled road, was established for electric cars by the railroad commissioners yesterday, in a decision upon a petition presented by residents of town of Wellesley. The finding applies to all cities and towns in the state.

CHINESE MINERS DRIVEN OUT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TOULUMNE, Cal., Nov. 12—About 200 miners from Summerville and Soulsbyville have driven the Chinese miners out of Soulsbyville and the Black Oak mines. There was no violence.

TRANSPORT THOMAS ARRIVED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 12—The transport Thomas has arrived from Manila. She has on board Companies G and S of the 15th cavalry, besides 194 enlisted men, 120 casuals, 32 sick, two insane and 33 general prisoners. The Thomas after leaving Nagasaki ran into a severe typhoon and suffered considerable damage from the storm.

PORTO RICO

GOVERNOR HUNT REPORTS ON CONDITIONS THERE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12—In his annual report on the condition of affairs in the Island of Porto Rico, made public today, Governor Hunt says that the situation is one of hope and that there is progress and improvement with a strong current in favor of Americanism. Many of the people believe, he says, that the present form of government can be preserved for some time, that natives feeling that it is liberal in its extension of political autonomy and generous in its financial benefits.

Governor Hunt reports material growth in the commerce of the island, the total exports for 1903 being $14,886,000 as against $12,309,000 for the preceding year. The report discloses the significant fact that for the first time since American sovereignty the balance of trade is in favor of Porto Rico.

In closing, Governor Hunt says that the results prove the wisdom of congress in conferring civil government upon the people. In any situation which arises, the people, he says, will be found loyal to the United States.

P. A. C.'S AGAIN

PAWTUCKETVILE CLUB WILL BE RE-ORGANIZED.

At a meeting held in Pawtucketville last evening it was decided to re-organize the Pawtucketville Athletic club.

At one time the P. A. C. was one of the strongest organizations in the city, and former members and friends will be pleased to learn of the effort that is being made to re-organize it.

BREWER HAAS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Frederick J. Haas, who claimed to have been the first brewer of lager beer in America, is dead at his home in Trenton, N. J. He came from Germany in 1848 in company with the late General Franz Sieger.

WITH THE CRICKETERS.

The Cricketers ball to be held in Prescott hall tomorrow night, promises to be the event of the season and will be largely attended. The Appalachian orchestra will furnish music for dancing, and this alone assures lovers of dancing that the best music will be given during the evening. Nothing has been left undone to ensure its success.

Big time at Prescott hall, Friday evening.

Coal $6.75 Per Ton

Coke $5 Per Chal.

Dry Bobbin Wood, 5 Baskets $1.00
Dry Cord Wood, 5 Baskets $1.00

The Lowell Coal Co.

43 Central St. 15 Thorndike St.

FIVE CARDINALS

Received the Red Hat Today

POPE PIUS HELD FIRST PUBLIC CONSISTORY

Great Throng Witnessed the Ceremony

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Nov. 12.—Pope Pius held his first public consistory today.

Five cardinals, including the papal secretary of state, Merry del Val, received their red hats.

One would think by this time a consistory would not cause any particular excitement at the Vatican, but, this morning, the circumstances were so exceptional, namely the holding of the first public consistory under the new pontificate and the conferring of the red hat on the new papal secretary of state that excitement pervaded the whole apostolic palace. As usual, the only person who remained calm was the Pontiff. This, however, is now taken as a matter of course. His serenity of mind is, perhaps, one of the secrets of Pope Pius' great influence over those who surround him.

At an early hour, before the mist had cleared away from the plaza of St. Peter's, all the thoroughfares leading to the Vatican were crowded with cabs carrying thousands of white cravated men and black veiled women, hurrying to secure good positions from which to witness the solemn function, although today's principal ceremony did not begin until 11 o'clock, while cardinals and other prelates and the various personages attached to the papal court drove up in heavy old-fashioned carriages and were received with the usual honors by the Papal Guards.

Splendid weather favored the ceremonial. The ceremonies began at 10.30 a. m. when the five cardinals who were to receive the red hat, Monsignor Merry del Val, Monsignor Callegari, the archbishop of Padua; Monsignor Ajuti, the papal nuncio at Lisbon; Monsignor Tallana, the papal nuncio at Vienna, and Monsignor Katschaler, the archbishop of Salzburg, Austria, went to the Sistine Chapel to take the oath before Cardinals Oreglia, Rampolla and Macchi, heads of three orders of the Sacred College.

Monsignor Merry del Val and Monsignor Callegari wore their red robes for the first time and the group of prelates formed a most striking picture, the effect being heightened by the incomparable singing of the Sistine choir, directed by the Abbe Perosi.

All present noticed the firmness and determination with which Monsigner Merry del Val pronounced the words of the oath.

In the meanwhile the corridors through which the cortege had to pass and the Sala Regia, where the consistory was held, were filled to overflowing. Even the places in the three tribunes, with seats set apart respectively for the diplomats, the Roman aristocracy and specially invited persons were very uncomfortably filled.

When the audience had begun to feel the strain of waiting, a distinct murmur, gradually enlarging into distinct phrases of acclamation, advised those who occupied the Sala Regia that his holiness was approaching. A moment or so later the whole gorgeous picture burst upon their view, arousing a perfect storm of applause and cries of "Long live Pope Pius" and "Long live the pontiff," which were continued until the pope had descended from the sedia gestatoria.

All eyes naturally were on the central figure, who had been borne high in the sedia gestatoria by eight scarlet-clad sediari, flanked by the great feather fans giving a medieval shading to the scene.

His holiness was clothed in full pontifical robes, with the mitre, an immense emerald sparkling on his finger as he raised his hand to bless the assemblage. Preceding him were the celebrated Swiss guards in uniforms, armed with halberds, the cardinals coming close behind them. The Noble guard came next, escorting the pontiff, who was followed by a train of bishops, priests, monks and court laymen, at the end of the procession being another detachment of guards.

The pontiff seated himself on the throne at the end of the hall, while the cardinals went to their stalls on either side, with the bishops at the left.

Intense silence then fell over the assembled throng and then the new cardinals were introduced by the master of ceremonies, who, while they knelt one by one before the pope, held a cardinal's hat over their heads. Thereupon the pontiff, with real emotion, as if the ceremony, though merely a spectacle to some, was to him a very sacred function, repeated the usual formula, in Latin, after which he embraced the five cardinals tenderly.

The newly honored prelates then arose and went to each of their brother cardinals and gave and received the usual fraternal embrace, the choir in the meanwhile singing softly.

When the ceremony of the exchange of embraces was ended, the pope arose, bestowed the papal benediction on all present and then withdrew, the halls and loggias echoing with acclamations as he passed on his way to his apartments.

After returning thanks in the Sistine chapel the new cardinals, with the other cardinals, retired to the hall of the consistory to hold a supplementary secret consistory, during which the pope granted them the privilege of participating in and speaking at meetings of the congregations, placed the cardinal's ring on their fingers and made each of them a titular bishop of a church in Rome.

After this the Most Rev. Francis Bourne, archbishop of Westminster, assisted by Mgr. Marzolini, as master of the ceremonies, and Count Capogrossi Guarna, as consistorial advocate, asked the pope for his pallium, and Mgr. Ibarra, who should have done the same, as a newly elected Mexican archbishop, asked for his pallium through Mgr. Bonzalin Minana, rector of the Spanish college.

The parents of Mgr. Merry del Val, who were present at the public consistory, were hardly able to conceal their emotion at the honor conferred on their son.

It was only this morning that the pope signed the brief officially appointing Cardinal Merry del Val to be papal secretary of state and making him a member of the congregations of rites and extraordinary ecclesiastical affairs.

FIRE COMMITTEE

WILL DISCUSS FOUR-DAY VACATION ORDER.

The committee on fire department will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon to consider Councilman Welch's order granting them four days' vacation per month.

KILLED BY TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TILTON, N. H., Nov. 12—The body of Fred Hall, of Lakeport, an engineer on the White Mountain division of the Boston & Maine railroad, who is supposed to have been killed while trying to board a moving train last night, was found beside the track near the local station today.

WILL NOT CONTEST

Rep. McMahon Satisfied With the Recount

The city and town clerks of the 26th and 27th representative districts will meet with City Clerk Dadman, tomorrow at noon and canvass the vote for representative in those districts.

A report current on the street to the effect that Rep. McMahon would contest the election of Messrs. Westall and O'Brien is found to be without foundation. The report probably grew out of the fact that Mr. McMahon was not allowed a recount in the town of Tewksbury. It seems that Mr. McMahon's petition for a recount was not received until after the time limit expired according to the Tewksbury officials, while Mr. McMahon claims that all petitions were sent out at the same time and were received on time in every town except Tewksbury.

FUNERALS

CONNOR—The funeral of Jennie Connor took place from the funeral parlors of Undertaker J. J. O'Connell & Co., in Central street yesterday afternoon. Services were held at the church of the Sacred Heart in Moore street, Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I. officiating. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

HEAPS—The funeral of Irene Heaps, child of Thomas and Annie, took place this afternoon at two o'clock from the home of her parents, 10 Webster avenue and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

THOMAS—The funeral services of Mrs. Ann Thomas took place at her home, 10 Meadow road yesterday. There was a large gathering of friends and neighbors.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Jenkins of St. Anne's church. Miss Etta Rutherford and Mrs. Jennie Burns Rodger sang the beautiful hymn by Phoebe Carey, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," and the "Home Land." The Alpha male quartet sang "Lead Kindly Light," and "Gathering Home," at the grave.

There were many beautiful floral offerings and the interment was in the Edson cemetery.

COURT—The funeral of Mrs. Lilla B. Court, formerly of this city, who died a few days ago in Boston, took place Tuesday afternoon. The body, which arrived in this city on the 1 o'clock train, was accompanied by relatives and at the depot friends from this city were in waiting. Funeral services were held in the Edson cemetery chapel, Rev. Dr. Huntington, pastor of the High Street church, officiating, the deceased being a member of his church. The choir of the High Street church attended and sang "Lead, Kindly Light," "The Homeland" and Nearer, My God, to Thee." There were a number of very beautiful floral pieces, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held. She is survived by one son, Mr. Ormsley Court of Somerville, and one daughter, Mrs. W. B. Fair of Columbus, Ga. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery.

CARNEGIE'S LIBRARY ACCEPTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROCKPORT, Mass., Nov. 12—The town voted last night, 118 to 3, to accept Andrew Carnegie's offer of $10,000 for a public library.

Mrs. Nat. Bateman of Lawrence and her sister, Miss Bridget Dee of Boston, both formerly of Lowell, were in town today renewing old acquaintances.

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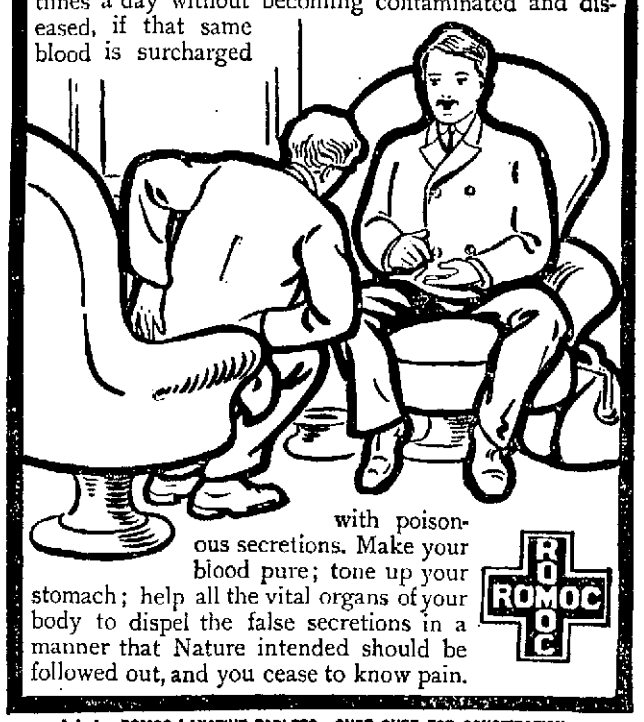

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NIGHT EDITION

6 O'CLOCK

BOHM IS SEATED

Labor Convention Turned Down Brewers' Protest

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—When the delegates to the convention of the American Federation of Labor re-assembled in Faneuil Hall today for their fourth day's session, the first business to be disposed of was the disturbing problems which had arisen from the unseating of Delegates Steel and Guild of the International Journeymen Bakers and Confectioners and the report of the committee on credentials recommended that Delegate Ernest Bohm of the Central Federation Union of New York City be admitted to the full delegate privileges of the convention.

In the case of the delegates from the Bakers' union, the convention had before it the protest from the secretary of the union at Cleveland demanding that Steel and Guild be seated because regularly chosen.

In the case of Delegate Bohm the convention had to accept or reject the committee's report, having heard a somewhat bitter attack on Bohm yesterday by a delegate from the Brewers' union to the effect that Bohm had been expelled from the Brewers' union and had never been a wage-earner.

Chairman Payne, of the ways and means committee will call that committee together tomorrow to consider the Cuban bill.

The Bohm case was considered first and in spite of the objection of the brewers' union, a motion to accept the committee report seating the delegate was carried, with one dissenting voice.

The question of seating the delegates from the bakers' union was taken up, but a motion to table the matter was carried.

The report of the auditing committee was presented. It showed that the federation was in excellent financial condition.

After a special committee on boycotting had been appointed, the report of the committee on resolutions was in order. To this committee had been referred almost one hundred matters offered by the delegates since the opening of the convention.

The first resolution reached, which was favored by the committee and which was unanimously adopted, recommended that all affiliated bodies pay dues of at least 25 cents a week

The "open shop" or Miller government printing case, was next placed before the convention

The committee reported that resolution No. 15, bearing on the subject, be referred to the committee on the executive counsel report. The resolution was to the effect that an "open shop" whether under private or government control belonged in the same category as the non-union shop and that it "cannot be recognized by organized labor." The preamble indicated that the resolutions were based upon the Miller case and President Roosevelt's decision in the matter.

There was a lively emphatic discussion of the committee's report. A motion was made that the resolution be taken up by the convention as a committee of the whole. James Duncan, of Washington, D. C., first vice president of the federation, advocated strongly the acceptance of the committee report. The motion to refer the matter to the convention as a committee of the whole, and the motion that it be recommitted to the committee on resolution with the understanding that it go to the committee on distribution and finally to the committee on the councils report, was made.

Delegate J. M. Barnes of Philadelphia, the president of the Cigarmakers' International union, was recognized first. Mr. Barnes took sides at once with Mr. Roosevelt in the Miller case. He criticized the president for insisting that the "open shop" must be at all maintained in federal department. He said that Mr. Roosevelt and the people had accepted his decision in the Miller case as a slap in the face, and he asserted: "We are opposed to the policy of the president in that he wants to maintain the open "scab shop."

Another delegate in a brief speech suggested that a public "open" as conducted by President Roosevelt was just as bad as a private "open shop" as conducted by President Parry of the Manufacturers' association.

The president's policy was defended by D. A. Hayes, president of the International Association of Glass-blowers. He was convinced, he said, that any delegate in the convention would have acted just the same as President Roosevelt under the same circumstances. He submitted that any objections to Mr. Roosevelt should not be uttered at the convention but should be suspended until the next election. The recommendation to re-commit was eventually carried, and almost unanimously.

The resolutions in question were introduced by Delegate G. A. Hohen of Federal Labor union No. 6482.

The resolutions committee reported unfavorably on resolutions providing that the federation should issue a circular letter to all central bodies affiliated calling attention to the rule that no central body of delegates shall admit anybody hostile to any other affiliated organization; and providing that a committee be appointed to bring in a statement setting forth the causes of the jurisdiction controversies between the national and the international union affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. These reports were concurred in.

An unfavorable report upon the resolution that the federation donate $1000 to the Western Federation of Miners to help them in their struggle, was followed by a debate which had not ended when adjournment was taken for luncheon. Delegate Max Morris of Denver argued in favor of the appropriation of the money. He stated that it would not be wise for the convention to refuse the help suggested and have the Associated Press telegraph the disheartening news to the miners to his part of the country. He referred to the attack which the president of the western federation of miners had made on John Mitchell by declaring that he (Mitchell) had sold out the organization of the anthracite miners. He argued that under these circumstances when Mitchell was a prominent member of the federation it would be doubly unwise to refuse the money.

Delegate Ramsey of Chicago eulogized Mr. Mitchell and agreed with Delegate Morris that it was their duty to pass the resolutions because of the impression which might go out that Mr. Mitchell had used his influence against appropriating the money.

At this point an adjournment was taken.

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BACK TO WORK

IRON WORKERS ARE AWAITING FURTHER ORDERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 12.—The 16 iron workers employed by Norcross Brothers upon the O'Gorman building here who struck yesterday in compliance with orders received from New York, returned to their work, awaiting further orders from New York. It is thought they will be called out again. The reason given for the strike was that the employing firm was a member of the Employers' Association, against whom the bridge and iron workers' union are fighting.

EMPLOYES IDLE

THE AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS IS DULL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICOPEE, Mass., Nov. 12—Two hundred employes of the J. Stevenson company, makers of guns and automobiles at Chicopee Falls, have been laid off until January 15. The cut was owing to the fact that their business in December and January is dull and there are many guns and automobiles on hand.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—Cotton: Futures opened firm. Nov., 10.80; Dec., 10.80; Jan., 10.93; March, 11.04; April, 11.03 to 11.06; May, 11.05; June, 11.04 bid; July 11.06.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Miss Alice Mack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mack, celebrated the fifth anniversary of her birth at her home in Broadway Wednesday evening. About forty of the little hostess' friends called and wished her many happy returns of the day. Games were enjoyed and a fine musical and literary program was carried out. Refreshments were also served. Little Miss Mack was the recipient of many presents.

PRIEST'S OFFER

Wants Town to Take Parochial Schools

HE WRITES LETTER EXPLAINING THE PLAN

Has Nothtng to Do With Religion

There is much interest in Peabody over the proposition of the Rev. M. J. Masterson to the school committee of that town offering to transfer the Catholic parochial schools to the town if the town will take them and maintain them. The following is the full text of the letter sent by Fr. Masterson to the school board.

"Peabody, June 8, 1903.

"To the respected members of the school board. Greeting: Madam and gentlemen:

"In sending you this petition I beg to assure you that I am influenced as well by a feeling of real friendship, as by a sense of even justice, and my purpose is to ask your fair consideration of, and high-minded action on, the following proposition hereby submitted:

"I desire, as a public-spirited citizen, for the public good to place our schools under the direction of your board, for all the necessary purposes of ascertaining its efficiency in the education of children of our town, in full accord with the laws of the town and the state.

"The result giving you entire satisfaction in every detail, some compensation should, I respectfully submit, be accorded by your board. The school, it is understood, will be open to any of the children of the town; only the intent to learn will be expected. I wish to assure the board again that I am moved by no narrow or mean disposition in this communication, but rather by the deepest feeling of amity and justice toward you and all our townspeople. Should you desire further elucidation of this proposal, I will be most happy to throw whatever light I can on the important and interesting question.

"I have the honor to remain,

"Yours very sincerely,

"M. J. MASTERSON."

It is understood that Fr. Masterson's only request will be that the Catholic children shall receive religious instructions outside school hours, several days a week.

SALEM ALDERMEN

GOT AFTER BOSTON & NORTHERN ROAD.

The Salem aldermen got after the Boston & Northern street railway again last night. Four weeks ago an order was presented by Alderman Hill revoking the franchise in a certain section of Pleasant street where a turnout was laid, because the frog in the turnout was noisy.

The order was laid on the table that the mayor might communicate with the management of the road.

Last night Alderman Hill said nothing material had been done to remedy the nuisance. The mayor told him he was assured by President Sullivan that the letter answering the communication from the city was partly written.

On Alderman Hill's motion the board unanimously passed an order demanding an immediate reply from the company to its communication.

The board amended the ordinances providing that other than square, hard pine pole might be used by electrical companies. The board passed an order widening Herbert street on the easterly side.

WIRE COMMITTEE

WILL HOLD MEETING TOMORROW AFTERNOON.

The committee on electric wires of the city council will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and inspect a number of proposed locations.

BRIBERY CASE

WAS DISMISSED BY ORDER OF COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHOENIX, Ariz., Nov. 12.—The case of Hugh H. Price in the United States court on trial for alleged bribery, has been dismissed on instruction of the court to the jury to acquit because the testimony presented was not consistent with the indictments. The case will be referred to the next grand jury.

The difference between the indictment and evidence was that the latter did not show that money had been paid at all. The defendant was surveyor-general of Arizona and was removed from office not long ago and accused of having charged applicants for mining patent fees in excess of those provided by law. It was an old custom of the office prior and including Price's administration to charge extra fees to those who desired early action on filings, the office being behind in clerical work and the plea being made that in order to hasten matters it was necessary to hire clerks to work out of office hours. Chief Clerk Murphy, who had been in the office for years, was indicted jointly with Price, but a severance of the case was granted. Four other indictments are pending against both Price and Murphy.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

Among the marriage intentions recorded at the city clerk's office today was the following: Georage Alexacos, 27 years of age, a grocer, to Katherine Morofatistos, aged 20, at home.

T. G. Rowan of New York city is visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. C. Parnelis of this city.

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LIQUOR CASES

Two $100 Fines Imposed Today

HORSE POISONING CASE WAS CONTINUED

Woman in Court Forty-One Times

There were no very interesting cases in police court this forenoon. Several liquor cases were called but the defendants in each case pleaded guilty so that the cases did not go to trial. The officers told the court the character of the premises of the defendants and fines were imposed. Two second offenders, Mary J. Donnelly and Thomas McNearny were fined $100 each. They appealed and were ordered in $300 each for appearance before the superior court. They were charged with maintaining liquor nuisances.

Basil Silva whose place in Charles street was raided by the police a few days ago, pleaded guilty to illegally keeping liquor and was fined $50. The fact that there were two christenings going on in the house at the time the officers made the raid served to make things a little bit easier for Silva, in fact it was suggested that perhaps if the case went to trial, the court would take the christenings into consideration and allow a keg of beer for each and every name given the youngsters. In that event Silva could easily have accounted for his generous supply of beer.

FOR ALLEGED POISONING.

What promises to be a very interesting case was called and, on agreement of counsel, was continued one week.

Bartholomew F. Dunn of Dracutdale has lost eight horses within the last 10 years. They were all poisoned and in consequence of alleged threats made by one Edmond Connors, he swore out complaint against him and the case was to be heard today. The complaint charges Connors with maliciously poisoning a horse.

FORTY-ONE TIMES IN COURT.

Alice Murtagh has appeared in police court more times on the charge of drunkenness than any woman in Lowell. She was there today and was sentenced to the workhouse for a term of 18 months. Judge Hadley told her he was tired trying to do anything for her. He had exhausted all probation liberties in her case and it was plain, he said, that she couldn't keep sober. "You have appeared here forty-one times, and I will give you a long vacation," said the court. The woman didn't seem surprised that the court saw fit to impose a rather unusually long sentence in her case.

HE WAS DISCHARGED.

The police tried to make out that William F. Lucas was drunk, but the court didn't find in their favor. Lucas was charged with drunkenness and was discharged. The fact of the matter is that all the evidence of drunkenness that the police offered, applied to Lucas' condition in Lawrence, not in this city.

Conductor Herman Logan and Motorman Fred A. Ford, who run between Haverhill and Lowell, stated that Lucas was drunk and raised a disturbance on their car in Lawrence, yesterday. Judge Hadley suggested that his condition in that city had nothing to do with his condition in Lowell and when Officer Atkinson, who arrested Lucas, said he wouldn't have arrested him but for the fact that somebody from Lawrence had telephoned that Lucas raised a disturbance in a street car in Lawrence. Judge Hadley told the clerk to place the case on file and Lucas was discharged.

For drunkenness, two first offenders were fined $2 each and one was released.

DEATHS

VOSE—William Vose, aged 55 years, died Tuesday at his home in South Chelmsford.

BROGAN—Margaret Brogan, wife of the late John, died this morning at her home, 47 Cross street. She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. Michael Kane.

HENRY—The many friends of Miss Annie E. Henry, a popular young lady of this city, will be pained to learn of her death which occurred this morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Ready, 476 Wilder street. Deceased was 23 years of age and was held in high esteem by all those with whom she came in contact. A mother, Mrs. Ellen Henry and two sisters, Mrs. James Ready and Miss Lizzie Henry survive her.

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MOTHER AND DAUGHTER.

Mother—What are you getting up so early for? Daughter—I cannot sleep. Why, dear? I've been thinking all night. Of what? Oh, of the curious things I saw yesterday at one of the windows. What do you mean; are you dreaming? No, but haven't you heard about the new store just opened, and they have got the most beautiful things I ever saw. All my friends have been in to see them. Do you know the place? I do. Where it is? I'll go down with you. THE ORIENTAL BAZAAR, 318 Merrimack Street.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Cole, otherwise called Ann Garrity, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by John J. Cole, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this tenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Bernard Reynolds, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Michael Reynolds, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this tenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

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WORK STOPPED

BRICKLAYERS WENT OUT ON STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—Work on buildings in course of erection by the Fuller Construction company in this city has been stopped abruptly by a strike of union bricklayers. Pending an adjustment of the difficulty all work of the company is at a standstill and nearly 1000 men are idle. The men assert that the company has sub-let some work to a concern which has been declared "unfair."

GAVE UP LIFE

IN ORDER TO SAVE HER CHILDREN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—Mrs. Mary Werckgelser of Brooklyn has sacrificed her own life in saving her three young daughters from burning to death. An exploding can of naphtha set fire to the clothing of Mrs. Werckgelser and her 6-year-old child. The mother, regardless of the pain she was suffering, beat out the flames on the child's clothing and drove all three of the girls into the street. Then she followed, ablaze from head to foot. Neighbors ran to the scene and quickly wrapped quilts about her, but she died a few hours later.

KING'S DAUGHTERS MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE R. I., Nov. 12—With delegates present from all sections of the state, the fourth annual convention of the Rhode Island branch of the International Order of King's Daughters and Sons was called to order by State Secretary Mrs. Sarah M. Corey, at the Church of Our Saviour, this morning.

After an address of welcome by Rev. Francis Lee Whitemore the delegates listened to the reports of state officers and the different committees.

The election of officers was held at the commencement of the afternoon session, after which Miss Mary J. Woolley of Mt. Holyoke College delivered an address. Miscellaneous business occupied the time until five o'clock, when an informal reception was held.

Rt. Rev. William N. McVickar will address the convention tonight, after which adjournment will be taken.

PRINCETON MEN BARRED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 12—McClave, a prominent candidate for full-back on the Princeton eleven, was today barred from playing against Yale Saturday by the faculty committee on athletics, which ruled McClave is ineligible on account of the four-year rule. This is McClave's fifth year at Princeton, and in his freshmen year he played three innings in a baseball game against Rutgers.

PRINCETON MAN BARRED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12—The board, composed of Rear Admiral Taylor and Lieut. Commander Winslow, appointed to select a site for a naval training station on the great lakes, has made its report to Secretary Moody. The board selects five sites, the first choice being Lake Bluff, 32 miles north of Chicago; the second is Racine, Wis.; third, Muskegon, Mich.; fourth, Milwaukee, and fifth, Michigan City. The report has been transmitted to Congress.

SMALL POX

HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE IN LAWRENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAWRENCE, Mass., Nov. 12.—Miss Margaret Sullivan, 18 years old, was pronounced ill with small pox today. She was employed in the office of the Beach Soap factory and the health authorities are unable to determine how she contracted the disease. She was removed to the isolation hospital.

HELP WANTED

A CANVASSING AGENT with small amount of money may secure the agency of a California product that can be sold to every family of Lowell and surrounding country; a fine seller for a house-to-house canvasser to handle with other goods; it is an article of daily consumption and where once sold is a sure repeater; the product is not as yet introduced in Mass., but hundreds of applications have been received from there. For particulars, prices and sample, address Manager, P. O. box 557, San Jose, Cal.

WANTED—Experienced tailor. Apply Raymond & Snider, 223 Middlesex street.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Slover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Experienced demonstrators; salary paid. Call New American house, Cero Fruto Co., after 7 o'clock p. m.

KITCHEN GIRL wanted at 30 Cabot street at once.

WANTED—At the Highland house, 749 Middlesex street, a good table girl. Samuel Smith.

WANTED—An old lady to do housework for two and take care of child. Inquire 124 High street, in rear.

THREE YOUNG MEN over 21 years; good chance to learn a lucrative business; splendid chance for promotion. Apply 13 Merrimack square, room 1.

UNEMPLOYED MEN and women everywhere, city or country; particulars for stamp. Ross Medicine Co., 685 Burling Street, Chicago.

AN Illinois corporation with a capital of $250,000, established seven years, and in successful operation in Chicago, New York and St. Louis, having decided to extend business throughout the United States and Canada, desires connection with competent man as exclusive territorial manager who will invest $1000 in the dividend paying stock of the company with guarantee against loss; salary $150 per month and 15 per cent. of net profits, which will at least equal salary; system protected by copyrights and in demand by all merchants and manufacturers the year around; 95 per cent. of customers have renewed contracts for seven years; system simple, complete mastery quickly acquired; no scheme; no speculation; straight, clean, honorable business; will stand the most searching investigation; highest commercial and bank references furnished. Address Director of Agencies, Tribune building, Chicago.

AGENTS to sell spectacle cleaner; sell at sight to anyone wearing glasses; sample 10 cents; agent's outfit 25 cents. Optical Supply Co., South Whitley, Ind.

GREATEST MONEY-MAKER KNOWN—1000 per cent. on investment; no speculation, no risk; straight business. Energetic promoter wanted to form state company. Electric Advertising Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

TO LET

TO LET—Furnished front room, heat, gas and privilege of bath. Inquire at 14 Carlton street, suite 2.

TENEMENTS TO LET—On Ludlam street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Louis Clements, 414 Broadway or 294 Ludlam street.

TO LET—Two separate tenements with bath, on School street, off Branch street. Inquire 148 B street or at Wilson's drug store.

TWO TENEMENTS to let of four rooms each, $5 per month, in rear of 113 East Merrimack street. Inquire on premises.

FURNISHED ROOM to let, with or without board. 21 Osgood street; use of bath.

TO LET—Pleasant sunny tenement suitable for small family. Apply 61 Sydney street, off Moore.

TO LET—Pleasant furnished room, gas, bath and heat, with home conveniences. 522 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms, bath, hot and cold water, good location. 103 Moore street.

TO LET—House and barn on Royal street. Apply at 403 Central street.

TO LET—Cottage house in good repair on Batchelder place; price very low. $12.50. Key for inspection next door.

TENEMENTS in all parts of the city at all prices; we have several that will make extra warm, sunny homes for the winter. T. H. Elliott, 61 Central street.

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished room; home comforts, heat, gas, bath. School street, near Pawtucket street. Inquire Sun office.

TO LET—5, 6, 7-room tenements in good repair. 164 Lawrence street.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in the city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, room 26, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Lenhan, room 9, Barristers hall.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

A MAN WITHOUT A HOME is wrong; another three tons of coal given away free to the first customer that buys this fine two-tenement house; $100 or more down, balance as rent; $3 a month given away free for prompt payments; here is your chance to get a start; don't lose this golden opportunity; the rents you have paid to landlords would soon pay for a fine house; a home is a good thing; everybody ought to have one; if you own one you are glad; if you haven't one you will be glad when you get one; don't take any man's word, come and see for yourself; this property is right at the doors of all the large manufactories, with improved streets; electric light in front of door; call today or tomorrow. The S. Lagasse Co., 335 Hildreth street, Centralville.

FOR SALE—Cheap, house lots near mills and electrics; instalment plan; easy terms. Inquire 465 Merrimack street, Lowell.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Lady's valuable lace collar between Rock, Willie and Carlton streets. Reward at 5 E. Pine street.

FOUND—A black and tan dog on Lawrence street. Owner can have by calling at No. 6 Warnock street and paying for adv.

LOST A pair of spectacles somewhere in Pawtucketville. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at Sun office.

LOST—Monday evening, a diamond ring in the Opera house. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Lady's gold watch on Christian Hill car at square or on Lawrence car Saturday between 11 and 12 a. m. Reward at Alvin Lawrence's, 27 Gorham street.

LOST—Three months' old black dog. Return to Walter McKenzie, 3 Queen St and receive suitable reward.

LOST—Between Spaulding and Palmer streets, an alligator side bag containing purse and change, also pearl rosary in case and handkerchief. Reward for return to 33 Bowers street.

LOST—Saturday morning, a pin with brilliants and rubies either on Gorham, Central or Prescott streets. Reward for return to H. E. Harris, 10 Appleton St.

LOST—Between Northern station and Seventh avenue, Pawtucketville, a top book between Lowell and Boston. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Velvet chatelaine bag containing sum of money on Merrimack street. Reward for return to 489 Moody street.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One horse, 10 years old, weight 1100; a good farm horse; one farm wagon and harness. 514 Chelmsford St.

FOR SALE—Good parlor suite, $15. Gardner Bros., 75 Pine street.

DRESS GOODS' REMNANTS, cheap, from the Merrimack Woolen mills. Corner store, Lakeview avenue and Pleasant street, Navy Yard.

FOR SALE—Furnished boarding house full of boarders. Inquire at Sun office.

FOR SALE—Bakery doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 128 Branch street.

BOARDING HOUSE for sale; good locality; ill-health reason for wishing to sell. Address B. K., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Carrots for horses by the barrel. C. H. Cutter, 694 Mammoth road, Dracut. Tel. connection.

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at White's, 276 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 69 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dresses; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 16c; 1¼ in., 20c; 25c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 60c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack street.

MISCELLANEOUS

THERE WILL BE an auction sale on butter, meats, groceries, lard, poultry, potatoes, etc., Saturday evening at 7 o'clock sharp, rain or shine; no lay bidders; everything goes under the hammer. Pike's Market, corner Howard and Middlesex streets.

LADIES AID of the F. F. S. will hold a baked bean supper Saturday evening, Nov. 14, at old Odd Fellows hall, Merrimack street, from 5 to 8 p. m. Supper 25 cents.

DR. C. BRET POOL has established new offices in Stott's block, 408 Middlesex street.

ORLANDO CERRATTI has moved his shoe shining parlors from Prescott street to new block 163 Bridge street. First-class shine 5 cents.

DRINK GLORIA: gives youthful vigor; new life and pleasure in every drink. Boyle Bros., Agents.

MADAME LENORE, clairvoyant and card reader, 71 Tyler street. Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Hours 10 a. m. to 12 and 2 to 10 p. m.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Mutter's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood, acts immediately; "It does the business"; sample free. Kruigee, chemist, Dept. No. 5, Milwaukee, Wis.

PIANO OR ORGAN LESSONS at your home; special pains taken with children or advanced pupils; will accompany any instrument for entertainments; years of experience. Mabel Randall, Chelmsford Centre.

STOVES—New and second hand, bought, sold and exchanged. Reliable Furniture Co., 165 Middlesex street.

MISS UPHAM, clairvoyant and life reader. Card reading 25 cents. 81 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

MARTIN HONAN, Grocer, 760 Gorham street, handles the choicest goods; quality considered, our prices are the lowest in the city; call in and see for yourself; discount stamps given.

SHIRT WAISTS GIVEN FREE at Highland Remnant Store, 39 Pine street. We want 10,000 ladies to call and see our stock of Ottomans, Vestings, Silks, Sateens, Madras Cloth, Mercerized Waistings and Shirtings, Ginghams, Flannelettes, etc., which we carry and sell by the yard and pound. Come and be convinced that you can buy more and better goods here for your money than you can get in any other place in the city. Highland Remnant Store.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office, 338 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1129 Bridge street. Telephone.

MUSIC—German zither music furnished at reasonable rates for concerts, dinner parties, church entertainments and home socials. John C. Hansen, Bon Marche studio.

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 240 Central St.

MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 58 Middle St., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 836-13.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 261 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 159 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGouvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES—Dr. LeFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LeFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c. Only at Falls & Buckingham's, 416 Middlesex street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Work by the day or hour by woman, washing, ironing, cleaning, etc.; will also work in restaurant. Call 8 Union street.

A LADY would devote a few hours a day to an invalid in the Highlands; could read aloud, write, sew, etc. Address B. L., Sun.

WANTED

BOARDERS WANTED at 367 Lincoln street, near Gorham street.

WANTED—One or two small children to take care of. Inquire Sun office.

LADIES wishing to make their own dress will now have the opportunity to learn the Pouley Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

E. H. WHITE

Successor to Fish & Plummer.

137 CENTRAL STREET

Our Motto: "Honest Representation, Fair Dealing, Justice to the Owner, Satisfaction to the Buyer."

FOR SALE—Two-tenement house in Belvidere. Bath, hot water, six rooms to each tenement. Well rented. Price $4400.

FOR SALE—15-room lodging house. Steam heat, shower bath, running water in each room. Rooms bring in $30 per week. Well furnished. Price $900.

FOR SALE—Cottage house in Belvidere. All modern improvements, including furnace heat; good lot of land. Price $1700.

FOR SALE—Fine residence and stable in the Highlands, near street cars, all modern conveniences. Price and terms right.

FOR SALE—Nearly new modern house of eight rooms near Jenness and Chelmsford street. Large lot of land. Price only $2600.

TO RENT—Five-room tenement on Barclay street, $16.50. Small tenement on East Pine street, $9. Eight-room house, $12. Tenement and stable, Walker street, $15. Fine residence on Dover street, $35.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR OCTOBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of October, 1903, was **14,232** A gain of 725 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, November 2, 1903.

JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Governor Bates' Thanksgiving proclamation indicates that he would have been more at home in the ministry than in the gubernatorial office.

THE BRUTALITY OF COLLEGE HAZING.

If the college hazing keeps on in its dangerous and often fatal form, it will soon be necessary for each student on entering to arm himself with a seven-shooter and several rounds of ammunition. In no other way can a young man defend himself against brutality such as that shown at a school in Baltimore in which a freshman was lynched by a gang of young savages in one of their hazing carousals. It would have served them right if the victim of their assault had been able to shoot them down.

CONGRESS AND THE CUBAN TREATY.

It remains to be seen whether congress will hold up the Cuban treaty any longer just because the president has been endeavoring to push it. In his message the president appeals for the adoption of the reciprocity treaty on the ground of national honor. The republican party is afraid that any concession in the line of reciprocity in trade will be but the entering wedge by which similar concessions will be forced for other nations, Canada among the number. Reciprocity with Canada is just as necessary as with Cuba and would prove equally beneficial to this country. It is bound to come.

THE PROPOSED CUT DOWN.

The decision to cut wages in the Fall River mills will spread alarm among the textile workers of New England. The high price of cotton caused mainly by speculators, is the principal cause and the fact that the price of the manufactured product has not risen in proportion. The long shut down of the Lowell mills during the strike may be instrumental in enabling them to avoid a cut down such as is proposed in Fall River.

The cut down coming at the beginning of winter cannot be resisted by a strike, as a strike in winter would be immeasurably more disastrous than one in summer.

DRESS REFORM ON GRADUATION DAY.

There is trouble in the Beverly High school because one of the teachers has suggested a dress reform for graduating day to consist of a calico, gingham, or percale dress, not to cost over $5, for girls. The object is to prevent the unnecessary expense that is incurred in getting costly graduating dresses. The boys, of course, are expected to wear plain clothes, the swallow-tailed suits to be barred. They, too, are somewhat perturbed because they have planned a number of dances at which they had hoped to shine in dress suits. The proposed reform is in the interest of all but particularly of the members of the class who cannot afford expensive costumes. The opposition to the scheme, however, is apparently strong enough to defeat it for the present at least.

THE COLOMBIAN SITUATION.

The effort of Colombia to call in European aid against the United States indicates the possibility of future trouble. Those saucy little republics that we have been protecting for years at great peril to our national peace, do not seem to appreciate the fact that they are under an obligation to us. The control of the isthmian canal is necessary to our national safety, and the present little transition in Panama will settle that matter in our favor. Colombia has thrown away her opportunity. It will never return. It is now useless for her to lower her terms or say she will accept the canal treaty. A new republic now controls the canal route, and it is not Colombia's to give. Neither is it the province of the United States to destroy this republic in the interests of Colombia. Events in the isthmus have shaped themselves in our favor, and when the next senate treaty is made the Republic of Panama will be the grantor, and it is likely that the conditions, if not the price to be paid, will be more to our liking than those of the Hay-Herran treaty.

THE FIREMEN'S DEMAND.

It is difficult to conceive how any argument can be adduced against the petition in favor of granting the firemen four days a month off.

If "days off" meant that the firemen could get off in turn and disregard all the alarms that might be sounded in their absence then there might be some reasonable objection upon the ground that the department would be crippled. But while the firemen off duty are obliged to respond to alarms same as when on duty, there can be no valid reason for refusing to give them four days a month off.

The only difference is that if they were at the station instead of at home they might do the chores, but the house duty is not so heavy as that it cannot be done by the men who remain after letting out one at a time in their turn.

If a fireman "off duty" fails to respond to an alarm when the apparatus of his station goes out he is fined one dollar, and for failure to respond to an alarm when the apparatus does not go out fifty cents.

Under such an arrangement it is plainly absurd to say that a fireman is off duty when he spends a day at home. He is relied upon for service in case of an alarm just the same as if he were at the station, so that there is but little "offness" about it.

There are four Sundays in a month when all other city employes rest or go where they please. Most of the other city employes work but eight hours and have besides a half holiday on Saturday during the summer, if not throughout the year.

The firemen work twenty-four hours a day and have the privilege on three days a month of awaiting alarms at their homes, instead of at their respective stations. They want this slight privilege extended to four days and it would be a gross injustice if their request be not granted.

These firemen have families like other men and like other men much of their attention is required about their houses, but they are limited to their meal hours and the three days a month.

Their life closely resembles imprisonment, as they are night and day separated from their families with the exception of the three days mentioned.

If they asked for a day a month with exemption from responding to alarms, common fairness and justice would dictate the granting of their demand, but they do not go so far; they are willing still to remain on duty 365 days in the year. It would be simply outrageous to refuse their demand for another day with their families so far as the absence of active service with their respective stations will permit. The life of a fireman is not what is generally supposed to be. It is one of endless waiting, watching, one of never ending readiness to jump at the sound of the bell, one of much danger and excitement, one in which the risks are so great that insurance companies avoid them. The average citizen does not realize the risks, the dangers, the weariness, the suspense and the privation that combine to make up the average fireman's life. Nobody need be afraid of making it too enjoyable by giving the fireman the opportunity to be a little longer with his family every month.

SEEN AND HEARD

Perhaps Col. Ripley didn't know it was loaded.

Rocking the cradle of the deep will not hush the ocean's squalls.

If you are not satisfied with your lot put it in the hands of a real estate dealer.

The side-wheel steamer Mt. Desert, which has been in constant service during the season for nearly a quarter of a century, and on which many Lowell people have been passengers, ended her long career in Penobscot bay last week.

Speaking of paramount questions, the one relating to the winter overcoat will not down.

The weather man must have laid in a stock of cold waves at some bargain sale.

Nearly every large business is going into the hands of incorporated companies these days. Davis & Sargent, lumber dealers, are the latest in Lowell to become a company.

For three or four weeks now the wise men of the town will be busy telling in advance whom the next mayor will be.

BEALS FOR POLICE BOARD.

To be a member of the police board is highly esteemed in some quarters, judging from a conversation heard in a street car yesterday between two men.

"Where are you working?" asked one of the other.

"In the street department," was the reply.

"How do you like Beals?" was the next question.

"First rate," was the response, "but I don't see much of him. I hear he is going to give up the job of bossing streets for a better job."

"How is that?"

"Oh, he will be license commissioner if Howe is re-elected."

This conversation opens up a question in arithmetic. The superintendent of streets gets a salary of $2000 a year, a police and license commissioner is paid $1000 annually in salary. How, then, is the commissioner's job better than that of street superintendent? For the best solution of this problem we will give a handsome Christmas box. Every resident of Lowell is entitled to guess early and often.

One of the sights on one of our public streets during the noon hour recently was six laboring men playing a vigorous game of carus in a dump cart.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

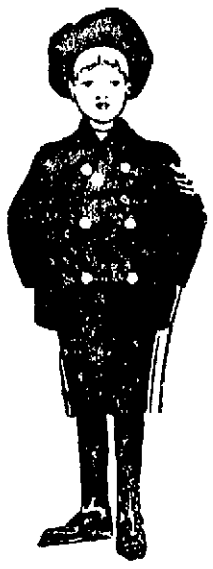
166 Central Street

The cheery enthusiasm

among the buyers in our boys' department is almost as gratifying as the extraordinary business we have had. It surely shows hearty appreciation of our efforts. We have never sold so many things for boys, never sold them so easily—and that it seems to us tells the whole story. New things are coming daily to replace those going, and the boys' stock represents in the highest degree the newest and best of serviceable goods at the least prices that can be named.

Warm and Stylish Overcoats for Boys

Here are twenty styles of new and pretty coats for small boys, 3 to 9 years.



Double Breast Overcoats for Boys 3 years to 6,

Made from dark oxford and olive meltons, with silk embroidered emblems on the sleeves, belted back and velvet collars for $3.50, $2.50 and **$2.00**

Overcoats for boys 3 years to 9

with military frogs and belted back; or, double breast with silk cord aiguilettes, military buttons and rank marks on sleeves; or, double breast with box plait front, double box plait back with belt; or Russian Overcoats, double breast with hood red lined, of oxford, blue and dark melton and frieze, $4.00 and . . **$3.50**

Fine Overcoats for boys 3 years to 9

The new Corona, double breast or box plait front of warm blue and oxford Friezes, or Zibelines and Kerseys, in brown, tan, red, blue and green mixtures, plain or with Persian lamb collars and cuffs, or trimmed with silk cord aiguilettes, $8, $7 and **$5.00**

Overcoats for boys 9 years to 16,

Made from oxford, blue and black meltons and friezes. Cut very long with the full skirt, box back, $4, $3.50 and . **$3.00**

Fine Frieze All Wool Overcoats for boys 9 years to 16

The full English box back, cut very long with a large sweep to the skirt, plain lined, fancy plaid lined or plaid lined with silk shoulders. Coats that are smart and stylish from Rogers, Peet & Co. or our shop for $12, $10, $8, $6 and **$5.00**

Boys' Fancy Plaid Tourist Overcoats

with half belts, made like the young men's coats, loose backs with a great sweep to the skirt. These are the latest novelties for boys from 9 to 16 years, are exceptionally stylish and most moderately priced $6, and . . **$8.00**

Reefers for boys 3 years to 12

Plain lined or lined with red flannel — from nice warm friezes in oxford, brown and blue. In brown and blue Montagnacs—the larger sizes plain, the small made with emblems and stripes on sleeves, with velvet or cloth collars. A lot of small sizes from last year at $1.25 with all of the new reefers from $2.50 to . . **$7.00**

Boys' Smart Winter Suits

For Young Boys, 3 years to 10

Sailor blouse suits, Russian blouse suits and pretty little Norfolks. The newest Sailors have double breast blouse, Eton collar and Knickerbocker breeches, but we provide also blouses with the deep Sailor collar. Russian blouse suits with the new Eton collar or with deep Sailor collar as preferred. These several styles are made Navy blue, brown and cadet blue serges, and from bright, pretty cheviots, especially chosen for these small sizes. These little suits from . . **$2 to $8**

Suits With Vests, for boys 9 years to 16

The new College jacket, smart cut, single breasted, with vest and short trousers, of blue and black serges, worsted cheviots and handsome fancy serges. We never offered better values than today in these suits . **$3 to $12**

Norfolk Suits, for boys 8 years to 16

Made from smart cheviots and plain blue and black cheviots and serges. Some very stunning Norfolks are made from Galashiels cheviots and with Knickerbocker breeches—nothing more stylish than these for the well dressed boy—some 40 styles of Norfolks from . **$2 to $9**

Double Breast Suits, for boys 8 years to 16

These two-piece suits have become exceedingly popular and the new jacket, cut like the young men's sacks, with long roll and smart lapels, makes this one of the most becoming suits a boy can wear—of cheviots and plain blue and black worsted cheviots . . . **$2 to $5**

A Norfolk Bargain. Some Splendid Suits A Dollar Under Price

A new lot of all wool, neat dark brown mixed cheviot Norfolk suits. This season's new goods, nicely tailored, smart and stylish, regular price $4. We offer today for **$3**

Norfolk Special Bargain The best value we have ever offered in fine suits

All of a manufacturer's new sample Norfolks and all of the fine suits he had in stock. Very stylish, strictly all wool cheviots in the season's newest colors—splendidly tailored. The actual value of each suit is at least $5; many of these would be cheap at $6. All today marked **$3.75**

Everything Else for Boys

Boys' Separate Winter Trousers, 25c to 95c

Boys' New Corduroy Trousers.... 50c

4 years to 16. All riveted buttons.

Boys' Fancy Bosom Shirts..... 37½c

Boys' Winter Negligee Shirts. 45c to 75c

Boys' Trimmed Night Shirts..... 46c

Boys' Domet Night Shirts..... 46c

Boys' Flannel Blouses.....25c to 50c

Boys' Fleeced Underwear....23c to 48c

Boys' Natural Wool Underwear....48c

Boys' Heavy Jersey Underwear....48c

Boys' Heavy Sweaters..... 50c

Boys' All Wool Sweaters.....$1.00

Boys' Golf Caps.....12½c to 50c

Everything Else for Boys

Boys' Winter Caps.....25c to 50c

Boys' Automobile Caps..... 50c

Boys Tam O'Shanters..... 50c

Boys' Mohair Tams..... 65c

Boys' Heavy Leather Gloves, 23c to 45c

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"PREVIOUS QUESTION"

Homer Turcotte Gets the Parliamentarians Going

Question Promises to Rival the Age of Ann—French Voters Fail to Agree on Councilmanic Candidates in Ward Seven—L. P. Turcotte a Candidate for Alderman—Other Political Gossip

Janitor Homer Turcotte blew into the office of City Messenger Pattee at City Hall, yesterday and cried out: "I want to ask you a question."

"She's 18," promptly replied the city messenger. "I know the whole family. I remember when both she and Mary were born. The old man used to drive stage down to Canaan."

"What are you talking about?" exclaimed Homer in wonder at his boss' queer break.

"Weren't you about to ask me how old Ann is?" queried the messenger.

"Not at all," replied the elongated keeper of the municipal key-ring. "I wanted to ask you something about the previous question." And then Homer explained himself.

It seems that at a meeting of a club to which Homer and his father, L. P. Turcotte, belong, the latter being the presiding officer, a motion was made by one of the members to which another member immediately offered an amendment and then followed a lengthy discussion of the subject pro and con in which nearly all present participated. Finally, to put an end to the mix-up, a member moved the previous question and it was carried by a strong affirmative vote.

When the elder Turcotte had declared the motion on the previous question carried, he proceeded to put the motion as it was originally made, ignoring the amendment.

Homer, for once in his life, disagreed with his father, for he couldn't see by what right the amendment was choked off.

"What kind of rules are you working under, republican city committee?" asked Homer, thinking he'd jolly his dad.

"That's according to Hoyle or Cushing my boy," replied the elder Turcotte. "Cushing says that when the previous question is carried affirmatively the main question must be put at once and the original motion is the main question."

"I hold that the amendment must be considered first and I'll prove it when I get to City Hall," said Homer.

So, yesterday Homer went from top to bottom of City Hall asking his question over and over again and for every man who agreed with him he found another who agreed with his father and there was great poring through the volumes of Cushing that are kept at City Hall.

As luck would have it, Cushing's manual is very indefinite on the matter, the little amendment not being provided for in the manual and to make matters worse the expert parliamentarians of the municipal building disagree. Some claim that the original motion is the main question, while others claim that an amendment having been properly made and seconded becomes for the time being the main question, having been offered before the previous question was called for.

Now that Ann's age has been successfully figured out, let all the heavy thinkers get together and figure out whether Homer had better stick close to the rulings of his father or whether Louis had better get a few points from his son.

The Sun will print any solutions that its readers may care to submit on this interesting question.

But getting back once more to the main question without further debate, Mr. Louis P. Turcotte is generally mentioned throughout ward seven as a republican aldermanic candidate from that ward and he is said to possess the backing necessary to land him the nomination. His only opponent is ex-Councilman Eben T. Stafford, but as Eben has been out of the game for a few years there is some doubt as to his ability to get back. James O'Sullivan is mentioned as a probable candidate but after the "bump" he received in the caucuses a year ago it is doubtful if he will take another chance. Mr. Turcotte is vice-chairman of the republican city committee and a great hustler among the French-American voters. He is a leading Hayes lieutenant and "Bill" in return for past favors will probably take off his coat for him.

Down town last night I overheard a funny "Irish bull" as the result of a little spellbinding. A friend of Purchasing Agent Rourke's was asking an elderly Irish gentleman to vote for Fred at the coming caucuses.

"Sure I will," replied the old man, "and he'll be elected too. Any man that won by 2600 last year don't need to fear agin."

"Yes, but you know you must nominate him in the caucuses first," explained his friend.

"O, the devil with the caucuses! Sure, he'll be elected anyway," was the answer.

Joseph G. Murphy, the well-known basso of the Mozart quartet, is a democratic candidate for common council in ward nine. If music hath charms to soothe the savage voter's breast, "Joe" should have easy winning.

"Why is it that so many doctors run for the school board?" inquires a correspondent.

Perhaps it's because that department needs a remedy more than any other. The city auditor and the appropriations committee can see this joke, all right.

Ex-Councilman Harry Swan of Ward Six will be a candidate for aldermanic honors in that ward at the republican caucuses.

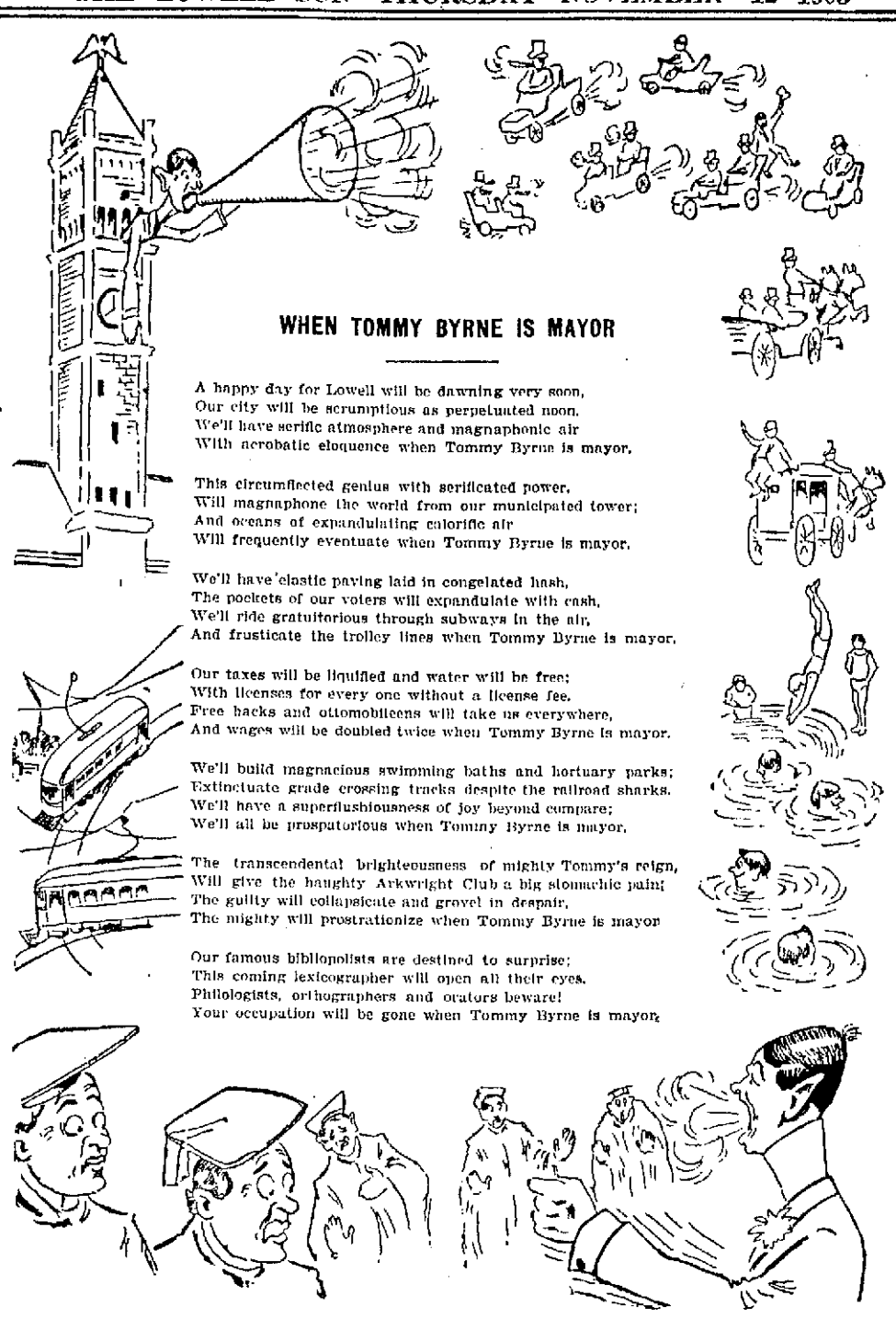
Twenty five names were added to the voting list yesterday, making a total of 47, by wards as follows: Ward One, 3; Two, 5; Three, 0; Four, 6; Five, 3; Seven, 0; Eight, 1; Nine, 1.

The Citoyens Ameracains met last night and talked politics at length. Three of the councilmanic candidates, Dr. Gagnon, Leon Marcotte and Omer Allard, were present.

The idea of calling a meeting of French voters of the ward has been abandoned and every French councilmanic candidate will have to take his chances in the caucuses. They are Dr. A. J. Gagnon, Leon Marcotte, Prosper Cossette, Omer Allard, Wilfred Paradis, Jr.

Nearly 300 voters of Ward Two met last night in the Green schoolhouse in the interest of Hon. Peter J. Brady. T. Gallagher presided and Jere Murphy acted as secretary. The voters present pledged themselves to work for Mr. Brady's success. After enthusiastic speeches by prominent democrats the meeting adjourned to meet Friday evening, Nov. 13, at 7.45.

The Ward Eight Brady supporters met last evening at the Lincoln school, about one hundred being present. Plans were outlined for registration. John J. Griffin was elected president and Edward F. Gormley, secretary. The club will meet again Monday evening.



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And oceans of expandulating calorific air
Will frequently eventuate when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

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The pockets of our voters will expandulate with cash,
We'll ride gratuitorious through subways in the air,
And frusticate the trolley lines when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

Our taxes will be liquified and water will be free;
With licenses for every one without a license fee.
Free hacks and ottomobileens will take us everywhere,
And wages will be doubled twice when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

We'll build magnacious swimming baths and hortuary parks;
Extinctuate grade crossing tracks despite the railroad sharks.
We'll have a superflushiousness of joy beyond compare;
We'll all be prosperatorious when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

The transcendental brighteousness of mighty Tommy's reign,
Will give the haughty Arkwright Club a big stomachic pain;
The guilty will collapsicate and grovel in despair,
The mighty will prostrationize when Tommy Byrne is mayor

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Philologists, orthographers and orators beware!
Your occupation will be gone when Tommy Byrne is mayor.

SCORES CLEVELAND

Bryan Gets After the Former President

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—A large number of friends and admirers gathered at the Majestic's pier yesterday to bid bon voyage to William Jennings Bryan, who sailed on his first visit to Europe.

In an interview before sailing, Mr. Bryan paid his respects to Grover Cleveland in no uncertain terms. In the opinion of Bryan, Cleveland is the bugaboo of the democratic party.

In his interview, speaking of Cleveland, Bryan said:

"To carry out a bargain with Wall street, he made the White House the rendezvous of syndicates and exploiters and administered the treasury department in a manner that makes the record of the unjust steward of Bible fame seem parsimonious by comparison.

"His record as president was such a stench in the nostrils of his party that even with the patronage of that great office and with the aid of the money magnates, whose treasuries he enriched he could not secure an indorsement from the convention. In the campaign following, when democracy was engaged in a gigantic struggle with plutocracy, he formed the salaried officers whom he could coerce into a band of Hessians and attacked the rear of the democratic party while the republicans waged war from the front.

"When the election was over he was the chief figure at a high-priced banquet, and gloated over the defeat of the party that raised him from obscurity to fame. Since that time he has lost no opportunity to stand in sight of the public, beat his breast and proclaim his political superiority.

"He has done more business on less capital than any man who has ever occupied so high an office. If his democracy were capitalized at his own estimate it would give us an example of water stock, and then, measured by the teachings of Jefferson and Jackson, it would make the water-logged enterprise of the trust promoters seem bona fide and honorable. This is a conservative estimate of his political worth. But I am just leaving America and haven't time to do the subject justice. I may enter into the matter more at length when I return."

"Then you do not seem to think that Mr. Cleveland has a chance for the nomination next year?"

"No. He has never had a chance since 1896, and he is so old now that if he repented in sackcloth and ashes—and it would bull the market on both if he undertook it—he would be overtaken by decrepitude before he could bring forth works meet for repentence. I doubt if he could carry a state in the Union.

"The people who talk about nominating him are either indulging in humor or they have very little knowledge of the sentiment that exists among the rank and file of the democratic party. The republican papers which are praising Mr. Cleveland now and urging his nomination are the very papers that accused him of filling the land with soup-houses and tramps and questioned the honesty of his contracts with the bond brokers."

"Would you accept another nomination for the presidency?" Mr. Bryan was asked.

"I would not. I am not and shall not be a candidate. I expect to fight for democratic principles for the next 25 years; that will take me through six presidential campaigns. I will be 68 years of age then and that's not very old for a man who gets as much good advice as I do.

"I think that all real democrats will present a united front in the next national campaign. Some men who are not true democrats may not take their stand with the party. I believe the party has a good chance of success next year too.

"No one can decide who the logical candidate is or will be. The trouble about logical candidates," and Mr. Bryan smiled sadly as his voice took a reminiscent tone, "the trouble about logical candidates is getting people to accept your idea of logic."

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MATRIMONIAL

The Buckingham, Eng., Express of recent date, contains the following wedding notice:

On Wednesday afternoon, the Church of S. S. Peter and Paul, Buckingham, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, the contracting parties being Mr. George Frederick Marshall, third son of the late Councillor J. Marshall, and Mrs. Marshall of Buckingham, and Miss Alice Maud Kitchener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kitchener of Well street, Buckingham.

There was a large attendance at church at the time fixed for the ceremony, and the bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Samuel Kitchener, who gave her away.

She was prettily attired in a dress of volle de soir, trimmed with silk and pillow point lace, and wore a bridal veil, surmounted with a wreath of orange blossoms.

The ladies in attendance as bridesmaids were Miss Annie Kitchener, (sister), and Miss Annie Kitchener (niece), who wore dresses of cream crepe delaine, trimmed with lace and Paris insertion and ribbon. Two little girls, Miss Edith Kitchener and Miss Lucy Turner, also acted as bridesmaids, and these looked very pretty in frocks of pale blue crepe delaine, trimmed with Paris lace.

The whole of the bridesmaids wore hats of white felt, trimmed with pale blue ribbon and foliage, and also wore gold brooches, the gift of the bridegroom.

The bride carried a lively shower bouquet, and the two elder bridesmaids bouquets of chrysanthemums, whilst the little girls carried baskets of choice flowers.

Mr. Tom Marshall, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man. A reception was afterwards held at the residence of the bride's mother, and at 5.40 the happy couple left Buckingham station en route for Brighton, where the honeymoon will be spent.

The bride is a sister of Mr. George Kitchener, proprietor of "The Wonder" on Central street.

FRENCH—COLBY.

The marriage of Mr. George A. French and Miss Elizabeth E. Colby took place yesterday at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Arthur D. Colby, Rev. James F. Allen performing the ceremony. Grace A. Colby was bridesmaid, and A. D. Colby was best man. The wedding march was played by Mr. Luther Gilmore. A very informal reception was held, after which a dainty repast was served by Mrs. A. D. Colby, assisted by Misses Hazel Gilmore, Ethel Smith and Alice Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. French will be at home to their friends after June 1, Warren avenue, Chelmsford Centre.

DOWNEY—McMAHON.

Mr. Michael Downey and Miss Mary McMahon were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I., at the Immaculate Conception parochial residence yesterday. The bride was attended by Miss Mamie Brown, an intimate friend of the bride, and the best man was Michael McMahon, brother of the bride. The bride wore an exquisite gown of white China silk with pearl trimmings, and the bridesmaid a gown of white silk trimmed with chiffon. She carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the future home of the happy couple, 67 South Whipple street.

HOGAN—SCOLLANE.

The marriage of Mr. Patrick Hogan and Miss Mary Scollane took place yesterday afternoon at St. Patrick's parochial residence, Rev. John J. McHugh officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Bridget Scolane and Mr. James Hogan was best man.

SHEA—CONNELL.

Mr. James A. Shea and Miss Ellen M. Connell were joined in wedlock at St. Patrick's parochial residence yesterday by Rev. John J. McHugh, and a quiet wedding reception followed at the bride's home. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Gertrude M. Connell. Both looked charming in gowns of white Swiss muslin. The bride carried a bouquet of bride roses and the bridesmaid carried pinks. The groom was attended by his cousin, Mr. Joseph Collins. After the ceremony they repaired to the home of the bride, 6 Loring street, where supper was served. Only immediate relatives and friends were present, owing to recent bereavement in the family. Mr. and Mrs. Shea left on the 6.20 o'clock train for Boston on a brief wedding tour, and will be at home to friends after Dec. 1 at 22 Bleachery street. The couple were the recipients of many beautiful and costly gifts.

TRULL—PICKERING.

Mr. William Taylor Trull, local agent of the New York Life insurance company for Middlesex county, and Miss Nellie C. Pickering, daughter of J. W. C. Pickering, both of Tewksbury, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride in Andover street, by Rev. G. E. Martin, D. D., in the presence of many relatives and friends.

Miss Virginia Pickering Harbottle of Brooklyn, N. Y., a niece of the bride, served as flower girl. The bride wore her traveling costume of brown velvet. The rooms were beautifully decorated with autumn foliage, vines and flowers. The gifts were many and very lovely, that of the groom to his bride being a diamond ring set in pink pearls.

Mr. and Mrs. Trull left the city by an afternoon train and after a short tour will reside at the Jesse N. Trull residence in Andover street, North Tewksbury.

WILLIAM O'BRIEN

SAYS THAT HE IS FIRM IN RESIGNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Nov. 12—The Cork branch of the United Irish league recently requested William O'Brien to withdraw his resignation as member of Parliament, but he has refused to do so. He says he wishes to leave his enemies free scope to carry on their opposition to his policy.

Mr. O'Brien is too impulsive. Besides he is in poor health and needs a rest.

AFTER 20 YEARS

ZION GUARD RETURNS TO HIS DESERTED CHILDREN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DANBURY, Ct., Nov. 12—Penitent and seeking forgiveness, Christopher McCormick, who had been looked upon as dead for 20 years, came here this week in the uniform of an officer of a Zion guard, searching for his five children, whom he deserted when they were young.

McCormick was a hat maker here 25 years ago. When his wife died and left him with the children to care for, he ran away. It was reported that he had been killed in the West.

Mrs. Mary L. Ward, engaged in charitable work here, saw that the children were provided with comfortable homes. One secured a college education, another is the wife of a prosperous Waterbury man, and the others are living in Connecticut towns.

McCormick, bearded and gray, called upon Mrs. Ward. "Peace be with you," was his salutation, "I'm come from Zion city to do the bidding of our overseer and seek forgiveness for the wrong I've done you and my children."

He made known his identity and begged Mrs. Ward to tell him where he might find his daughter. He said he met with an accident in a mill in Illinois five years ago, and was prayed over by Dowie's band. For years he labored in Zion City. He met his children here, was forgiven and is on his way back to his overseer to report. He has a wife and child in Zion City.

Convinced by Printed Testimony of the hundreds of the cured, Mrs. Renz of 415 E. 8th street, New York, who was for years a great sufferer from catarrh, procured two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder and it effected an absolute cure in a very short while. One puff through the blower will clear the head and stop headache. Sold by Fallis & Burkinshaw.—8.

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AN AWFUL CRASH

Five People Killed in Railroad Accident

By Associated Press to The Sun

ERIE, Pa., Nov. 12.—A terrible accident happened early last night on the Erie Traction company line, which runs between here and Cambridge Springs, in which five persons were instantly killed and several badly injured, two fatally. The accident happened one mile south of McKean or about 11 miles from this city. The dead:

MRS. BARTLETT, Edenboro.

MRS. SHERWOOD, Cambridge Springs.

MR. and MRS. JAMESON McKEAN.

Another woman, name not known.

The fatally injured:

Motorman Anderson.

C. H. Davis, a traveling salesman, Goshen, Ind.

The accident was caused by the brakes on a car of gravel becoming loose and allowing it to run out from the side track on which it had been placed, to the main track, where there was a heavy down-grade. While running at a high rate of speed it met and almost crushed through the passenger car which left Erie shortly after six o'clock, and which was filled with passengers.

STONED THE FLAG

Trenton Italians Objected to National Emblem

By Associated Press to The Sun

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 12.—The residence of Dr. O. Scarlata, Italian consul in this city, was attacked here by a number of Italians and stoned yesterday and the doctor himself was threatened with bodily harm. The occasion of the assault was the displaying in front of the doctor's residence of an Italian flag in commemoration of some Italian national event. The Italians demanded that the flag be taken down and emphasized their demand by throwing stones. A policeman finally took down the flag and the crowd dispersed. Subsequently it was replaced but there was no further trouble.

BAPTIST CONGRESS

HELD SESSION IN PHILADELPHIA YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—The Baptist congress, in session here yesterday, heard the report of the committee appointed yesterday to consider the advisability of calling a national association of the Baptists of America. Rev. Russell H. Conwell, of this city, reported for the committee that they recommended the appointment of a special committee to confer with the national Baptist society, North and South for the purpose of securing a simultaneous meeting of all those bodies in the city of Washington, D. C., in 1904. The committee also reported in favor of so changing the condition of the Baptist congress as to make it more fully represent all the Baptists of America.

"What change, if any, is demanded in the prayer meeting?" was the subject of discussion at yesterday's session.

Papers were read upon the subject by Rev. Curtiss Lee Laws, Baltimore, and Rev. Dr. Herbert E. Wise, Norwich, Conn.

Brief addresses followed.

Last night's session was devoted to a discussion of the question "Does trade unionism imperil liberty?"

Papers were contributed by Prof. H. Heath Bawden, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and Rev. Edward Holyoke, Providence, R. I.

"Trades unionism does imperil liberty," said Rev. Edward Holyoke, "but so does an automobile. The peril from either lies not in the thing but depends on the way it is run. The cure of boycotting is not in the abolition of the union, but in the evolution of the laborer. The escape from this social peril and from every other peril lies by way of the slow, spiral ascent of man to manhood."

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MAYOR COLLINS

Showed Union Card to Labor Delegates

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—At the banquet last night of the A. F. of L., everyone present, with the exception of Michael P. Curran, the mayor's private secretary, was a member of some labor organization. Mayor Collins presided and he and his secretary were the only city officials attending.

The mayor exhibited a card of the Woodworkers' union, issued to him many years ago when he worked at the trade.

Over six hundred of the delegates to the convention attended and there were no invited guests. The dinner was prepared by a union cook and served by union waiters.

The only reporters present belonged to the Newspapermen's union. The menu bore the union label and the liquors served came from union shops.

In the speeches no reference was made to political topics. Mayor Collins, President Gompers and John Mitchell were greeted with enthusiasm.

The banquet was tendered the delegates by the city of Boston. During the evening Mayor Collins made a personal gift to the federation, through President Gompers, of a gavel made from a timber used in the construction of the original Faneuil hall.

SMITH DISQUALIFIED

AND CANNOT PLAY WITH U. OF P.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—A. T. Smith, the star fullback of the University of Penna. football team, who played in the game against Harvard last Saturday despite the protest entered by Harvard's captain that he was ineligible, was yesterday disqualified by the faculty at their conference. The following statement was issued by the faculty committee of which Vice-Provost Edgar F. Smith is chairman:

"The faculty on athletics of the University of Penna. at a meeting held today decided on the information received within the previous twenty-four hours that A. T. Smith having played as a representative of state college in two games after the state college-Penna. game, was ineligible to represent Penna. this season and he has therefore been disqualified.

"A note explaining the circumstances has been sent to the colleges against whom Penna. has played this season, expressing the regret of the committee that it had not earlier been informed on what its action is based."

The two games Smith is alleged to have played on the state college after he took out matriculation papers at Penna., were with Yale and Annapolis.

NORTH BILLERICA

The North Billerica Cricket club's annual meeting was held Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Robert Tivey; vice president, H. B. Ellis; secretary, Frank Townson; treasurer, E. J. Garner; management committee, Robert Tivey, Frank Tournson, D. J. Macdonald, J. T. Whitehead, H. B. Ellis, E. J. Garner, Wm. McBride and John Brown; auditing committee, D. J. Macdonald, J. T. Whitehead, Wm. Ballington; trustees, Wm. McBride and John Brown.

The treasurer's report showed the financial standing to be in a most satisfactory condition.

It was decided to have a concert and ball during the winter, all arrangements for the same being left in the hands of the management committee. Outside of the usual business of the meeting the two chief topics of interest were the matter of raising the present rate of dues from 50c to $1 and the advisability of continuing in the Merrimack Valley League. There not being time to discuss these matters thoroughly it was decided to have a special meeting Monday evening, Nov. 16, to take final action on the same.

The date of the concert and ball will be announced as soon as the committee get together. A large attendance is looked for next Monday evening.

The North Billerica council, 1323, R. A., held a special meeting Wednesday evening to take action relative to the death of the late Thomas McCluskey.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BURLINGTON, Vt., Nov. 12.—A special to the Free Press from Brandon, says:

"Selectman Edgar Frost committed suicide today by shooting. It is thought that he was temporarily insane.

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Wigginville Residents are Opposed

TO ERECTION OF MAGAZINES IN SOUTH LOWELL

Protest Made at Last Night's Meeting

The residents of Wigginville are up in arms against the erection of powder magazines in South Lowell.

They held a meeting in the old school house last evening and adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, The United States Cartridge company proposes to build new magazines for the storage of explosives in Billerica, which location is near to the Tewksbury line and near to residences in Tewksbury, and therefore dangerous to residents of the town, both to persons and property, and

Whereas, it is probably intended to transport such explosives over and along the streets of Tewksbury, further endangering the lives and property of its citizens

Therefore, be it resolved by citizens of Tewksbury, assembled in public meeting, that they consider the storage of explosives at or near such point and the transportation of explosives over the streets of the town to be dangerous to lives and property and tending to diminish the value of property and prevent the development of parts of the town, and a nuisance that if possible, should be prevented by the town.

Voted, that petitions be circulated and presented to the selectmen of the town, requesting them to take such action, (by injunction if necessary) as may, if possible, prevent such storage and transportation of explosives."

The meeting was called to order by Selectman Catherwood, who was elected chairman, with Mr. Richardson as secretary. The meeting adjourned, subject to the call of the chair.

TWO KILLED

AS THE RESULT OF AN EXPLOSION OF GAS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RINGTOWN, Ont., Nov. 12.—An explosion of a small gas plant in the Logan house here last night was attended with fatal results. G. W. Atkinson, travelling representative of the London Advertiser, was instantly killed, and R. Weir, a boarder, died of his injuries last night. Five others were dangerously injured. The hotel was completely wrecked.

COUNT CASSINI RETURNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador to this country, who has been in Russia on leave of absence, returned to this city last night.

HARVEY NOMINATED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALTHAM, Mass., Nov. 12—John L. Harvey was nominated for mayor by the republicans last night.

BROKE THE BANKS

AMUSING AND PROFITABLE NIGHT AT MT. VERNON CHURCH.

A most interesting and unique occasion was observed at the Mt. Vernon F. B. church last evening. Different members of the Sunday school had been given banks in which to collect a sum of money to contribute to the church fund. There were also class banks and a friendly rivalry had sprung up between classes, especially between the Star Bible class and Deacon H. R. Nixon's class.

Mr. G. L. Huntoon, the special guest of the evening, was chosen to break the banks. He proved himself a most interesting speaker and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience gathered in the vestry. The money was counted by the committee and the individual bank containing the largest amount was that of Earnest Peasley of the junior department. The class bank containing the most money was that of Deacon H. R. Nixon's Sunday school class. The bank held $65.51. The Star Bible class bank contained $8.10. The sum total was $94.24. The guest of the evening made the sum an even $100. The special guests of the evening were Mrs. Grace Millin Ryder and husband of Providence, R. I. After the money was counted the committee in charge served a collation in the class room. The committee consisted of Deacon Nixon's class, Mr. Clayton R. Kimball, chairman, and Miss Alice Pendexter with Mr. Roy Gunter, Miss Susie Buchanan and Miss E. Laura Moore of the Star Bible class.

Next Sunday banks will be given out to be opened at the end of the next quarter.

JOE CHERRY WON

IN BOUT WITH TOMMY FELTZ AT DETROIT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DETROIT, Nov. 12—Joe Cherry of Saginaw, Mich., by getting the decision over Tommy Feltz of Brooklyn, N. Y., earned the right to face Frank Neil, champion bantam weight pugilist of the world. The referee's decision pleased the big crowd, but Feltz declared it rank robbery.

TALK ON CHINA

AT MEETING OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church held a very well attended meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George H. Taylor in Twelfth street. Mrs. H. L. Tibbetts, the president, conducted a brief devotional service, after which Miss Ida Goucher took charge and made the meeting very interesting by a personally conducted trip, and by having several ladies present impersonate different missionaries. The subject was "China, the self-centred Empire." Mrs. F. A. Bowen sang a solo, "In Far Cathay," and Mrs. Theodore Gardner presented current events. At the close of the program Mrs. Taylor, assisted by Mrs. W. H. Pepin, Miss Adelaide E. Noyes and Miss Emily Simpson, served very dainty refreshments.

COMPANY ORGANIZED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BATH, Me., Nov. 12—The syndicate of Bath and Popham capitalists who several days ago acquired the Bath & Popham division of the Eastern Steamship company, organized yesterday with a capital of $20,000 as the Popham Beach Steamboat company.

BROKE HIS NECK

SUPPOSED TO HAVE FALLEN OVER RAILING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Nov. 12—Arthur C. Stone, 48, was found with his neck broken in the hallway of an apartment building on Irving street, where he had rooms, last night. He is supposed to have fallen over the railing from the floor above.

AGAINST BOXING

MEMBERS OF THREE CLUBS SUMMONED INTO COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Nov. 12—Twelve men, members of the three boxing clubs in this city, have been summoned into court Friday on the charge of promoting public boxing exhibitions.

BET ON GARDNER

Lowell Boy's Advice to John Stack

GEORGE IS CONFIDENT HE WILL WIN

He Will Invest Money in Lowell

George Gardner has written to his brother-in-law, John J. Stack, advising him to place all the money he can on him (Gardner) at the prevailing odds in his bout with Fitzsimmons. He says that he is convinced that he will defeat Fitz, providing he gets a fair shake in the matter of referee.

In his letter George says that he weighs 170 pounds and is in perfect condition. He is training at H. Metzner's training quarters at Larkspur, Cal.

"I see no reason why I can't win with an even break," he writes. "The only thing I have to fear is the referee. So far as Fitz is concerned I think that I will give him all that is coming to him. I believe that on the day of the fight the betting will be about 10 to 8 on Fitz, but that is not worrying me at all. I will step into the ring, confident and fit to put up the battle of my life. If Fitz wins it will be only after he has given me a severe beating as I will never give up. If I do not miss my mark Bob is the one who will have to take the beating though."

In his letter George requests that his brother Billy do no more fighting until he gets home. Then he proposes to set up Billy in business.

George will leave for home immediately after the fight with Fitz and he proposes to secure an interest in the hotel business. He also asks Mr. Stack to have an eye out for some property for him as he is desirous of investing his money in Lowell. He figures on getting about $15,000 out of the Fitz fight. He will also have an interest in the pictures that will be taken and will be shown throughout the country.

THE WAY OF HAPPINESS.

I have no money to speak of—never had; I have had to work hard, and yet have had a very happy life; and I will venture to say that I now get more pleasure out of the little wages which my readers of The Interior pay me for writing them than any rich man in the city gets out of his tens of thousands or millions. It is not in the way of sociability, though. There is none of the genuine article there—no time for it. I would as soon sit down on a pile of skulls and have a sociable time with the osseous remains of the dead as to expect it in Chicago. A happy life is to be had by making rational enjoyment one of the objects of life. And that is not in money-getting. It is not in fashion or display. It is in trying to make one's self and others happy.

I go fishing and camping and strolling, and do not care a continental either for wealth, or for wealthy people because they are wealthy. I wear loose and comfortable clothes, take plenty of exercise, refuse to let my mind dwell on unpleasant things, never worry about lost opportunities or money losses, keep out of the way of cranks and quarrelsome people, and try to see the bright or the humorous side of things, cultivate love for my kindred, and crack my little chestnut of a joke. I never read any of the crimes or scandal columns of the dailies, choose cheerful books and get out of the way of whiners and growlers and scandalmongers. One can have a happy life, happy as the day is long, by making happiness one of the main purposes of living. The foundation of this is good health, and everybody can have good health by starting out in time for it. It is to be had by the moderate eating of simple and wholesome food, which soon becomes a luxury to the palate; a clean skin, outdoor exercise every day, without regard to the weather, except in the way of warm and dry clothing; keeping the mind cheerful; keeping the heart kindly; avoiding anxiety and longing about business affairs; contentment with one's lot.—William C. Gray, in "Musings by Campfire and Wayside."

ADAMS

ONE SQUARE TABLE

In the display of dining tables there is one design that we have marked at a price of $10.00, and by reason of its being superior in many ways to the others about the same price we think if you want a medium priced extension table it will meet all requirements.

Adams & Co.,

Furniture and Carpets.

174 CENTRAL STREET

Appleton Bank Block.

CRICKET NOTES.

The U. S. Bunting foot ball club will meet the Andover foot ball team on the grounds at Wigginville Saturday when a good game is sure to result.

The Andovers have not been defeated this season and the Buntings intend to do the trick on Saturday.

The following will be the Bunting lineup: Goal, R. Birtwhistle, capt.; backs, Ted Nelson and J. Marriott; half backs, M. Casey, W. Concannon and T. Gallagher; forwards, right wing, J. Halligan, E. Nelson; centre, G. Allen; left wing, W. Cotton and H. Flynn. Reserves, D. Allen and T. Guerdon. Linesman, William Nelson. Kickoff at 2.45 p. m.

At the meeting of the executive board of the Buntings on Monday night it was decided not to hold a banquet this year. A social will be held in the clubhouse on Saturday night, Nov. 21, when the prizes for the best batting and bowling averages will be awarded.

EDUCATIONAL CLUB.

The Educational club held a session Tuesday afternoon. Current events were considered, including facts about Radium and the Panama question, and Mrs. E. J. Clark read several very interesting letters from Mrs. Arthur Dow, who, with her husband, is travelling in Japan. Plans were perfected for an entertainment and sale, to be given by the club at 228 Worthen street on December 17 and 18, for the benefit of the Faith Home for children. The wedding was announced of Mr. Leroy C. Horton and Miss Gertrude Mae Wilcox, the latter a former well known music teacher of Lowell, both of Brooklyn, N. Y.

HEALTH GIVEN AWAY FREE SATURDAY

TO-NI-TA has met with such wonderful success that Dr. Lorentz, the discoverer, is anxious that every one shall have an opportunity to test its wonderful curative powers, and has made special arrangements by which everyone in Lowell and surrounding country may get a free sample bottle of TO-NI-TA and a copy of his medical book, "A Beautiful Story of Life." Free Saturday.

HOW TO GET TO-NI-TA FREE

Write your name and address on a card or piece of paper, mention having seen this liberal offer in The Sun, present the card Saturday, November 14, between 9 a. m. and 9 p. m. at The Sun office, Merrimack Square, and you will receive a sample bottle of To-ni-ta and a copy of "The Beautiful Story of Life," free of charge.

If you are sick and run-down, or if any of your family is sick, come early and get a sample bottle of TO-NI-TA and see how quickly you will feel the benefit.

PITTSBURG LADY CURED

Miss Lillian McMahon says: "TO-NI-TA cured me of Catarrh."

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 13, 1903.

Dear Doctor:—For the past six years I have suffered from Catarrh of the Head and Bronchial Tubes; caught cold with every change of the weather and suffered from intense headaches. Was under treatment six months in the year, but with no permanent cure.

A friend asked me to try TO-NI-TA, and after taking half of the first bottle I felt better than I had for several years. I have now finished my second bottle and feel perfectly well and all trace of Catarrh is gone.

LILLIAN McMAHON,
Hotel Duquesne.

YOUR DOCTOR KNOWS TO-NI-TA

Every doctor in Lowell has had a copy of the formula of To-ni-ta and knows it is a scientific combination of the vital principles of the most powerful healing herbs known to medicine. Your doctor will tell you it is free from opiates and will cure any case of Catarrh of the head, throat, lungs, stomach, kidneys, bladder or female organs. It is a strong tonic, stimulant and bitters.

To-ni-ta acts directly on the mucous membrane, it kills the disease germs and restores the tissues to a normal, healthy condition; it purifies and stimulates the blood and causes it to course more quickly through the veins; it quiets the nerves; brings restful sleep and brings new life to every part of the human body.

Get a Free Sample Bottle Saturday

If you do not get a sample bottle and booklet Saturday, write the Lorentz Medical Co., Flat Iron Building, New York, for a copy of Dr. Lorentz's medical treatise, "The Beautiful Story of Life," and free advice.

To-ni-ta at druggists, or direct, $1.00 a bottle. Ask your druggist for it. Take no substitute.

Lowell trade supplied by Boston jobbers.

$23,000 A WEEK

Will be Lost by Mill Operatives

WHAT CUT DOWN IN FALL RIVER MEANS

President Golden Surprised at Action

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Nov. 12.—John Golden, president of the United Textile Workers of America, expressed himself yesterday as surprised at the announcement of the new schedule. He said he had heard many rumors recently but had not believed that the manufacturers would really cut the wages of the operatives. He had thought that the manufacturers had long since learned that such a procedure would be futile and the result far from satisfactory. He added:

"I believe a reduction in wages always reacts unfavorably upon the manufacturers. It is hard to tell what their help will do. The operatives have struggled along after having endured hardships and privations necessitated by the curtailment made in different mills, and if a cut down is forced upon them now, it may serve to embitter them and call forth strenuous action."

Mr. Golden said he appreciated the condition of the cotton market, but he could not see how the cutting of wages would help matters, as it would have a tendency to cut the price of cloth and not to strengthen the market. With prices down and the market dull, manufacturers would be in always identically the same position that they now occupy and so might argue that a further reduction would be the only relief for the new situation. He said he had not been formally notified of the action of the mill agents, but that a meeting of the emergency committee and also the textile council would be held soon. There will hardly be time for the usual formalities on the part of the operatives before the new wage schedule goes into effect. When matters of this sort come up the textile council meets and the members suggest that action be taken by the individual unions. After the unions have met and taken action the textile council reconvenes and carries out the wishes of the majority as expressed by a vote of the different unions. In this instance it is likely that special meetings will be held and even then it is doubtful if definite action by the operatives can be reached before November 23 at which time the new schedule will become operative.

It is estimated that the reduction in wages will cost the operatives in this city something over $22,000 weekly. This amount covers the loss to operatives in all the cloth mills, including the Iron Works, but does not include the Globe Yarn, Kerr Thread and Sanford Spinning Co. mills.

NEW BEDFORD NEXT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Nov. 12.—No notices of reduction of wages in the local cotton mills were posted today, but there is a feeling that it will come soon, as New Bedford usually follows Fall River's lead, and during this week, two sessions of association of mill treasurers having been held this week. The secretary says no action has been taken on the wage question. Business here is known to be very bad, and all indications point to a reduction.

HAS CATALEPSY

FALL RIVER MAN LOSES ALL SENSE OF PAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Nov. 12.—Thomas E. Read, a veteran of the Spanish war, is at the city hospital, afflicted with catalepsy, one of the strangest diseases known to medical science. It is purely nervous in its character, and its effects are such that during the attacks to which Read is subject, he is lifeless as a wax doll. At these times he is entirely unconscious and his muscles are rigid. If an arm be extended, or his head raised from the bed, he remains in that position during the "spell," whether it be for minutes or for hours. Read is not only unconscious of effort, but there is no feeling of fatigue when he has recovered consciousness. While in a cataleptic state, he is practically dead. There is an entire local anaesthesia and pin pricks or other local irritations produce no effect upon him. Not one of the similar cases known to medical science have proved fatal, and Read appears to feel no ill effects from the recurrence of the attacks.

The sick man was sunstruck in the Philippines, recovered and went to China. He took part in the siege of Tien Tsin, and with the column advanced to Pekin. He saw the Japanese contingent blow up the gate of the Holy City and a few hours later was again sent to the hospital, suffering with a bullet wound in the thigh. After the Chinese expedition he was discharged and sent to the United States. His home is in this city. Recently he fell in the street, and was taken to the hospital, where he was unconscious for 14 hours.

SALE AND SUPPER.

A well attended sale and supper under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Immanuel Baptist church was held at the home of Mrs. Gillespie, 121 London street, last night. About 200 were present, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. During the evening various games were played, and vocal and instrumental solos were rendered. About $50 was realized.

LEAVES LOWELL

Thomas M. Bolton Goes to Arizona

AND WILL LOCATE THERE PERMANENTLY

Tendered Reception by the Knights of Columbus

Thomas M. Bolton, for many years a resident of Lowell, and for the past 30 years conducting a profitable harness business on Market street, leaves today for Phoenix, Arizona, where he intends to locate permanently.

For some years past Mr. Bolton has been a sufferer with asthma and while on a trip for his health to Arizona last year, not only found complete relief in that climate, but also received a flattering business offer.

He has been long considering the proposition of going west, finding it particularly hard to break the many ties of friendship grown firmer as the years have rolled by. But finally he decided to go and will be accompanied by his wife and his son, Thomas, the latter a student at the Pape School of Art in Boston, while his daughter will remain in this city.

Last evening Mr. Bolton was tendered a farewell reception by the Knights of Columbus, of which organization he is a prominent member, and a large gathering of Knights were present to wish him success in his new field of labor.

In the early part of the evening Mr. Bolton was introduced by Mr. Robert Thomas, the presiding officer, and he made a neat speech, expressing with deep feeling his regret at leaving the city and his fellow members. At the conclusion of his remarks Mr. Thomas in behalf of the members, presented Mr. Bolton with a large purse of gold. Then followed songs by the Mozart quartette, solos by James Donnelly and Daniel J. Donahue, while entertaining phonograph solos were also given. Refreshments were served in the outer hall.

Thomas M. Bolton was born in Ireland 52 years ago and came to this city 38 years ago. Four years after arriving in the Spindle City he started in the harness business at the same spot in Market street, where he was not long ago when he retired and sold out his stock.

During these 30 years he conducted a very profitable trade and was one of the oldest harness makers in Lowell.

Cricketers' ball Prescott hall, Friday evening.

ANNUAL SALE

By Ladies of the Eliot Church

The annual autumn sale under the auspices of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the Eliot church opened in the vestry of the church last evening. The chief attraction was the song recital by Madame Caroline Gardiner Clarke, soprano vocalist of Boston.

The festivities opened shortly after 6 o'clock and for an hour and a half a turkey supper was served in the dining hall under the direction of Mrs. A. F. Nichols, assisted by Mrs. Harry Parker and the members of the King's Daughters, Lowell, all of whom were gowned in white. Following the supper a social hour was enjoyed, during which time the various tables in the vestry were liberally patronized. At 8 o'clock the recital was given under the direction of Mrs. J. W. Sherburne.

Mrs. Clarke's first selection was "The Slave," by Rubinstein. The others rendered were as follows:

"My mother Bids Me Bind My Hair," Beecher; "Ecstacy, Because of Thee," Jones; "Spring Song," MacKenzie; "On the Way to Kew," Foote; "Winds in the Trees," Thomas; "The Years of the Spring," Beach.

The vestry of the church was tastefully decorated for the occasion and presented a very unique appearance. The tables about the vestry are prettily arranged and last evening each of them transacted a thriving business.

The candy table is in charge of Mrs. Charles S. Proctor, assisted by Misses Ruth Pease, Ruth Eaton, Clara Mitchell and Bessie Kimball.

The apron table is in charge of Mrs. John Graham, who is aided by the services of Mrs. Frank Coburn, Mrs. Geo. B. Holden, Misses Maud Smith, Mae Walsh and Alice Pevey.

The general management of the function is in the hands of Mrs. C. M. Childs, assisted by Mrs. E. W. Pease and Mrs. A. F. Nichols.

MINOR LICENSES

GRANTED AT REGULAR MEETING OF POLICE BOARD.

The following licenses were granted at the regular meeting of the police board Tuesday evening:

Hawker and peddler—H. E. Hunter, Tyngsboro; R. M. Hills, Windham, N. H.

Night lunch wagon—Fred J. Burns, Paige and Fridge streets.

Common victuallers—Mary Caveney, 152 Market street; Thomas Harrington, 102 Lakeview avenue; Milo Inguils, 602 Merrimack street; Rose Medora, 631 Middlesex street; Clara Fortin, 23 Liberty square.

DOUBLE STAMPS
BLUE
All This Week

80 with a pound of Baking Powder,
40 with a pound of Tea,
20 with a pound of Coffee.

This is double the quantity usually given. Double stamps on Crockery, Glass, and China-ware.

Dickson's Tea Store
63 Merrimack Street

GOULD'S PLAN

For a New Tidewater Line

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Official outline of George J. Gould's plan for building a new tidewater line from St. Louis to New Orleans was made public yesterday in an application to list $12,242,000 St. Louis, iron mountain and Southern lines, Gulf division, first mortgage four per cent., thirty years' bonds, which represent that portion of the authorized $50,000,000 which have been sold. Mr. Gould recently estimated the total cost of these improvements at between $40,000,000 and $50,000,000.

The purposes for which the bonds were used are stated in detail in the application to list and are partly as follows:

Provision is made for the immediate issue of $7,200,000 par value, of bonds as applicable in the acquisition of all the railroad property and franchises formerly belonging to the St. Louis Valley Railway. One million dollars are reserved to be certified from time to time for the acquisition of an equivalent amount of the first mortgage bonds of the Union Railway company, a corporation of the state of Tennessee; $148,000 par value, of this reservation of bonds are immediately issuable as applicable to the bonds of the Union Railway company, deposited with the Mercantile Trust company at the time of the execution of the mortgage, $15,700,000 of the bonds are reserved to provide for the cost of the acquisition and the completion and extension of the lines of railroad formerly belonging to the White River Railway company, the Memphis, Helena and Louisiana Railway company, and the Memphis, Helena and Louisiana Railroad company; $2,175,000 are reserved to provide for the cost of double tracking the line extending from East St. Louis to Thebe; $2,600,000 are reserved to provide for additional terminal and for properties, facilities and equipment at St. Louis, East St. Louis and Thebe; $4,500,000 are reserved for the construction or acquisition of second track, shops, depots, terminals properties, rolling stock and other additional property; $5,675,000 are to provide for the acquisition of lines of railroad connecting the lines of railroad formerly owned by the St. Louis Valley Railway, the Memphis, Helena and Louisiana Railway company and the White River Railway company, the remaining $11,250,000 are to provide for the actual cost of lines of railroad constituting extensions or branches connecting with the railroad of the railway company subject to the lien of the mortgage.

Although only $12,242,186 of these bonds have been actually issued and sold, $20,000,000 have been underwritten.

IRISH REPRESENTATIVES

CAME HERE TO BOOM AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—R. A. Anderson, secretary, and the Rev. J. O'Donovan, provisional representative of the Irish Agricultural organization society, arrived yesterday on the steamship Oceanic.

They have come at the invitation of the Irish Industrial league of America, for the purpose of stimulating interest among the Irish in this country in the work of this society.

Secretary Anderson said that his industrial society was made up of 800 associations, which were conducted on a co-operative and self-help basis. It has a membership of 85,000 and does an annual business in agricultural and other industrial products of $10,000,000. Sir Robert Plunkitt, Lord Montengle and himself, Mr. Anderson said, started the society thirteen years ago. The organization is non-political and non-religious. It is intended by the two gentlemen to hold mass meetings in this and other large cities in America.

FOR BRIBERY

EX-SENATOR HOLBROOK PLACED ON TRIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LANSING, Mich., Nov. 12—A jury was secured late yesterday for the trial of ex-State Senator John Holbrook, charged with bribery in connection with the acquittal of Col. Eli R. Sutton, formerly member of the state military board and ex-regent of the state university, who was charged with being implicated in a $50,000 fraud practice on the state of Michigan in connection with supplies for the state troops during the Cuban war. Holbrook is charged with offering Arthur H. Phillips, one of the jury who sat on the case, $500 if he would vote for an acquittal. Sutton had come here from New York to testify in the case.

CHAMBERLAIN'S POLICY

DEBATED BY LONDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Nov. 12—The London chamber of commerce last night debated Joseph Chamberlain's fiscal program. Prof. W. J. Ashley, the dean of the faculty of commerce of the university of Birmingham, who opened the debate, declared that if Chamberlain's policy is adopted Canada is certainly to either become independent or to be annexed to the United States. American emigration to the Northwest territory, he declared, was accelerating this tendency and the drift of Australia towards separation from the mother country was equally clear.

The debate brought out strongly the divergence of the views held by the members of the chamber.

No resolutions on the subject were adopted, however.

FINANCIAL STRESS

BRYAN HELPED OUT HIS DAUGHTER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 12—Mr. and Mrs. Leavitt, who were recently married in Lincoln, are reported to be in financial stress here. William J. Bryan, the bride's father, has sent her money.

CROKER A LIFE MEMBER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—At a meeting of the governors of the Democratic club held last night, Richard Croker was unanimously elected a life honorary member of the club. This honor is shared only by former President Cleveland.

BOUGHT LIQUOR REVENUE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANUAGUA, Nicaragua, Nov. 12—A foreign syndicate has bought the national liquor revenue for $1,100,000 yearly.

WHY?

Why is it that no merchant can build up a large and successful business nowadays without advertising in the newspapers? Because people look to the newspapers for the announcements of the merchants. The dealer who does not make announcements to the people through the daily papers is soon forgotten by the buying public and quickly left behind in the race for business.

Talk to the people through the columns of The Sun and they will bear you in mind when they need anything in your line.

The Sun having the largest circulation in Lowell is therefore the cheapest and most effective advertising medium in the city. It is unquestionably

LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER.

POLO NOTES

A couple of towns in Bill Parsons' league will have Sunday polo and roller skating.

Klobedanz goes west today to referee. We pity the western league that he gets located in.

A fine likeness of "Old Man" Roberts, who will captain the Elwood team, appeared in the Muncie Star of Tuesday.

The lineups in a few of the teams in the eastern league will look sick when the players desert it for the western leagues.

Stoneham, of the American Roller Polo league, has a fine rink and draws the best people in the town to its games.

"Pop" Holderness, who played halfback on the Lowell team for two seasons, left Boston for the west today. He was accompanied by his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene F. Hart, who were married yesterday.

"Smooth Willie" landed a couple of the best towns in his Illinois league for himself. Parsons always has the faculty of looking out for No. 1.—Lawrence American. You wouldn't expect him to take the worst, would you?—Herald.

The Lawrence Telegram says that the American league will put all "jumpers" under the ban. There will not be much need of putting them under the "ban," for if they lose in one league in the west they have several other leagues to try for, and the three western leagues are looking for general utility men.

Referee Tommy Connolly is making his job look good by commending the article of polo in the American league. It may be first-class amateur polo, and doubtless is, but it is far from the article the stars put up who are now in the west.—Brockton Enterprise.

Terre Haute of the Central polo league played its first game on Monday night with Danville and defeated the latter team by a score of 5 to 3. George Harper, the well-known local player, is tending goal for the winning team. Harper had 28 chances in the game and lost but three. Among the other players on the Terre Haute team is Eddie Hipson, who is captain. Freeman, the amateur whom Kittredge brought out last season, "Izzey" Whipple, who has played with Lawrence and Chelsea, Pete Wood of the Worcester team. In the Danville lineup are Spencer, Pink Turner, Spot Hadley, Paddy Moran and Sutherland.

A despatch from Anderson, Ind., says:

Norton and Fisher, the polo men, may have trouble with the Musicians' union because of placing a great orchestrion in their rink building. As Elwood is also to have a similar instrument the musicians do not relish the idea, and there is some talk of appealing to their national organization for a ruling. It is generally believed, however, that rink owners desiring to adopt machines for use can do so, and the matter is not within the jurisdiction of the unions.

The advance sale of season tickets to the game will be had this week in all the cities of the Western league. From present indications over half the capacity of each rink will be sold before the first game is played if not the full capacity in several of the towns.

The floor of the new Marion rink is ready for the players, and Fox and his men will practice daily until the season's opening.

PICKERING ESTATE.

The Pickering estate in Andover street has been purchased by George C. Dempsey. It is stated that Mr. Dempsey will move into his new residence at once. The amount of the purchase money is given as $35,000.

There is Much Antique Furniture

Scattered about New England made in the good old colonial days, that after the lapse of over 100 years, needs repairing. We are experts in finishing and high-grade upholstering, and if you desire will call with full line of samples for upholstering any of your furniture, modern or antique.

We also buy and sell antique furniture.

GARDNER BROS.
75 Pine Street
Highland Telephone 688-3.

CONCORD'S GAME

Stewart and Gray Teams Tied Again

CHELSEA ADMITTED TO BASKET BALL LEAGUE

Fred Lake Awarded the Franchise

Concord defeated Nashua 23 to 11 in Nashua last night by superior basketball. The Nashuans could tackle and pass with the same facility and Horne threw the baskets but Concord threw much better and won out handily.

The lineup:

CONCORD.	NASHUA.
Sykes lf	rb Kelliher
Stewart rf	lb Bruce
Kane c	c Doyle
Tighe lb	rf Horne
Herron rf	lf McCarthy (McFarland)

Score, Concord 23, Nashua 11. Goals from floor, Stewart, Sykes 4, Tighe 4, Herron, Horne 2, McFarland. Fouls, Stewart 9, Sykes, Kane, Tighe 5, Horne 3, McCarthy, McFarland, Doyle, Kelliher. Referee, Tierney. Timers, McPherson and Featherstone. Attendance, 600.

LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	5	1	.833
Lowell	4	2	.666
Concord	4	2	.666
Nashua	1	5	.166
Haverhill	1	5	.163

CHELSEA ADMITTED

LAKE WILL HAVE THE FRANCHISE.

The New England basketball league met at the Tremont house, Nashua, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and adjourned until the evening, when it was voted to admit Chelsea as the sixth member of the league under a franchise held by Fred Lake.

It was voted to give visiting teams 25 per cent. of the net receipts. This rule is to hold until Thanksgiving day, to see how it operates and if satisfactory it will be adopted permanently.

Every city in the league was represented and the matters of interest were discussed fully.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

Nashua tonight.

George Lynch of Maynard has signed with Haverhill.

When Lowell and Manchester meet again the fur will fly.

Charlie Connors is all right in Concord. His work Tuesday night made a hit.

Bill Kelliher says that it's up to Nashua to stop the Lowell's winning career.

Bill Kelliher has several good players in view for Nashua's basketball team. He will make an effort extraordinary for the Pitcher brothers and Christy Chase.

McCarthy of Fitchburg has signed with Nashua.

The game tonight will be the last home game this week. There should be a large crowd on hand to see the contest.

Jack Titus turned down the offer of the Concord basketball management because he does not care to engage in basketball this winter. Jack is thoroughly satisfied with his position on the Philadelphia nationals, and will be with that aggregation next season.

TWO DIAMOND RINGS

STOLEN BY CLEVER SNEAK THIEF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROOKLINE, Mass., Nov. 12.—Representing himself as an employe of a telephone company, an unknown man was enabled yesterday to gain admission to the residence of Mrs. George W. Gilbert, on Dempster Road and depart with two diamond rings which are said to be worth $1000.

Once inside the house the man disconnected the wires so that no calls could be rung and no alarm was given. No arrest has been made, but the police have a good description of the thief.

DAVIS MEMORIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 12—The presentation and acceptance of the design of a memorial to President Jefferson Davis by the sculptor, Edward W. Valentine, of Richmond, was the chief feature of the annual convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy here yesterday. It is to be erected at Richmond at a cost of $75,000.

It will consist of a stone semi-circular colonnade with 13 columns, facing which will be a bronze statue of Mr. Davis and within the colonnade a granite column 50 feet high surmounting an allegorical bronze statue of a woman.

HOSPITAL GUILD.

The Young Women's Hospital Guild met yesterday afternoon at the council room of the Women's club. It was the first meeting since the vacation season and the attendance was large. Dr. C. H. Stowell of the trustees, talked about the hospital's need of better equipment in the line of surgical tables, surgical instruments, etc. The doctor said he thought the various things needed at the hospital would cost about $950. The guild has this amount, and more, in its treasury and it was voted to appropriate $950 for the purchase of articles mentioned by Dr. Stowell.

$50,000 GIFT FOR GOMEZ.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVANA, Nov. 12—In the senate and house of representatives yesterday a gift of $50,000 was unanimously voted to Gen. Maximo Gomez in recognition of his services as head of the army.

ADVERSE DECISION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Nov. 12—A decision adverse to the defendants in the famous anti-boycott suit brought by D. E. Loewe & Co., hat makers of Danbury, against certain labor unions, was given by Judge Thayer on the demurrer of the plaintiff.

DIAMONDS LOST

Woman Hid Them in Stocking

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Nov. 12—The long established reputation of a woman's stocking as a safe hiding place for the money and jewelry of the wearer has been blasted.

Mrs. Frances Sterling, who lives at the Powhattan apartment house, 317 West Thirty-fourth street says she lost $35,700 worth of diamonds and $300 in cash from her stocking yesterday, and she is under the care of a physician and two nurses, awaiting anxiously the arrival of some honest person who is willing to exchange $35,700 worth of jewels for a cash reward of $1000.

Mrs. Sterling is an English widow of eight years' standing. She has been travelling extensively, accompanied by a companion, Mrs. J. De Forest Frankel, who says that she is a niece of Henry F. Gillig, a prominent clubman of this city, who at one time was president of the American Exchange in London. Of ample fortune, Mrs. Sterling has made a fad of collecting jewels.

These she carried with her in a jewel box, six inches long, four inches wide, and three inches high. It was her custom when travelling to place this box in her dainty silk stocking. Mrs. Frankel says she often warned her of the danger of entrusting the jewel box to such a fragile repository.

Mrs. Sterling returned from Washington yesterday morning. Before leaving the sleeper she thrust the jewel box into her right stocking, which she is sure was wholly intact at the time. When she reached her apartment she found that the jewel box had worked a hole in the stocking and dropped through.

Immediately Mrs. Sterling discovered her loss she collapsed. Upon recovery she went over the ground she had traversed, made fruitless inquiries at the "L" lost property office and the Pennsylvania railroad stations, and then made the offer of $1000 reward.

SHOT HIMSELF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLINTON, Mass., Nov. 12—Henry B. Wood, 41, caretaker of the Henry C. Greeley estate, committed suicide by shooting last night.

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6.22	7.40	8.20	7.26
a6.38	7.30	7.55	8.55
a6.43	7.53	8.25	9.01
a7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.37
a7.24	8.10	e10.00	10.37
a7.31	8.50	a10.17	11.34
7.45	8.35	e11.30	12.37
8.50	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.40	10.40	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	2.00	3.01
a11.43	12.25	e3.00	3.37
a12.14	1.00	a3.47	5.00
1.40	2.50	4.14	5.30
a1.56	2.35	e5.00	5.37
a3.02	4.20	5.38	6.25
a*3.47	4.30	a5.47	6.24
4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
a5.22	6.16	e7.30	8.08
a5.44	7.00	e8.30	9.08
a6.23	7.05	10.30	11.34
a7.29	8.10	11.20	12.22

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.30	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.51	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.30	4.55
2.30	3.35	4.50	6.00
3.10	4.10	6.01	7.05
5.55	6.04	8.35	7.48
6.06	6.43	9.39	10.40
6.15	7.15	B11.15	12.15
7.00	8.00		
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
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5.30	6.55		
8.00	9.05		

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CHELMSFORD

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Central Congregational church of Chelmsford Centre opened their annual fair yesterday with great success. The vestry in which the fair is held was beautifully decorated by Miss Minnie Hardy.

From 5.30 to 7 o'clock the supper room was the scene of great business.

The various tables with distinctive colors and the committees, the first named being chairman, were as follows:

Fancy table No. 1, pink and green, Mrs. J. A. Bartlett, Mrs. Edward J. Robbins, Mrs. Paul Dutton, Miss Margaret Ashworth.

Fancy table No. 2, pink and green, Mrs. Samuel Hagerman, Miss Mira Hubbard, Miss Emma Hubbard, Miss Minnie Hardy, Miss Katherine Kilbourne, Miss Velma Hildreth.

Household table, Mrs. E. R. Clark, Mrs. E. R. Marshall, Mrs. H. R. Knowlton, Miss Carrie E. Elliott, Mrs. Edwin C. Perham, Mrs. Pliny C. Bliss, Mrs. Geo. W. Day, Mrs. Eben T. Adams, Mrs. Edward B. Emerson.

Candy table, green and white, Miss Lillian Kilbourne, Mrs. E. C. Bartlett, Miss Alice Poore, Miss Mary Poore, Miss Eva Perham, Miss Agnes Eaton, Miss Ethel Hagerman, Mrs. E. E. Staples, Miss Grace Chaplin, Miss Bertha Bartlett, Miss Ena MacNutt.

Apron and handkerchief table, pink and green, Mrs. Geo. H. Wilson, Miss Kate Dupee, Mrs. Albion Kittredge, Miss Mary Poore.

Grab bag, Miss Carrie Knowlton, Miss Susie Blanchard, Miss Edith Bliss, Miss Margaret Poore.

Supper committee, Mrs. Sarah Blanchard, Mrs. Wm. R. Fowle, Jr., Mrs. J. C. Osterhout, Mrs. Elizabeth Nickles.

Ice cream, Wm. R. Fowle, Richard Boyd, Sidney Dupee, Harlan Knowlton.

The entertainment of the evening was the bright, one-act comedy, "Wilfred Burton, Artist." It was finely acted by Mr. G. Edward Reed, Mr. Robert F. Marden, Miss Alice L. Livingstone, Miss Bertha M. Abbott, Miss Bessie L. Adams.

This evening the entertainment will consist of a musical by Lowell friends.

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Tuesday, Nov. 17, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock

TRUSTEES' SALE OF A FINE RESIDENCE; THREE-STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 7040 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NO. 37 ELEVENTH STREET, CENTRALVILLE.

We have pledged with Mr. Keyes to be sold by absolute auction sale, regardless of any condition of the weather, this three-story, slate-roofed dwelling, and about 7040 square feet of land, situated in the most aristocratic part of Centralville, with high elevation, perfect surroundings, convenient and healthful.

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The lot contains about 7040 square feet of land with a frontage on Eleventh street of about 55 feet, it is well graded and has a good large garden in the rear, with concrete walks, ten or twelve fine apple and pear trees, also a grape vine. For convenience it is modern, for location it is a most desirable one; for sanitary purposes you could not choose a better spot, and it will positively be sold to the highest bidder on the day and time stated above.

TERMS: $350 must be deposited with the auctioneer at time and place of sale; other terms will be made known at sale.

By order of the
Trustees of the Central Methodist Church.

Thursday, Nov. 19, 1903, at 3.00 o'clock

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE OF A COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 1600 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NO. 24 WEST STREET, CENTRALVILLE.

As administrator of the above estate, and in order to settle its affairs, I will offer to the public, by auction sale, this cottage house and about 1600 square feet of land, nicely situated on the westerly side of West street, but a few steps from Lakeview avenue or electric car service. The house contains six rooms, pantry; it has gas lighting, a fine cellar, the floor of which is bricked; the walls are all whitewashed; the chambers are large, comfortable and airy, and for the one who has little money to invest in a home, this is a good opportunity of purchasing.

The lot is all fenced in, and contains 1600 square feet, with a frontage on West street of 40 feet. Now this is up at absolute sale, and the last bidder shall own the property.

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CONTESTED AND UN-CONTESTED CASES

Long List of Jury Waived Cases

A two weeks' session of the superior court for the trying of jury waived cases, equity and divorce cases, will open at the local court house on Monday morning, Chief Justice Mason presiding. The list of cases is as follows:

UNCONTESTED DIVORCE CASES.

Taylor vs. Taylor, Burke & Corbett.
Fenton vs. Fenton, McIntyre & Wilson.
Marshall vs. Marshall, F. C. Wright.
Fortier vs. Fortier, F. P. Rivet.
Thompson vs. Thompson, J. J. Pickman.
Welch vs. Welch, G. T. Bickford.
Davis vs. Davis, D. J. Donahue.
Hooper vs. Hooper, McIntyre & Wilson.
Severance vs. Severance, F. C. Wright.
Anderson, petitioner for nullity, vs. Johnson, alias; Wright and Keezer, Lord vs. Lord, R. E. Jeffery.
Sheehan vs. Sheehan, J. J. and W. A. Hogan.
Magee vs. Magee, F. C. Wright.
Page vs. Page, A. S. Apsey.
Berger vs. Berger, F. G. Preston.
Jefferson vs. Jefferson, F. C. Wright.
Mills, alias Whitehead, vs. Mills, alias Whitehead; the Hogans.
Griffin vs. Griffin, H. C. Mulligan.
Bates vs. Bates, A. P. French.
Brown vs. Brown, J. H. Guillet.
Clarke vs. Clarke, C. W. Dodson and J. W. Huse.
Houghton vs. Houghton, Dodson Huse.
Savage vs. Savage, E. R. Champlin.
Rogers vs. Rogers, R. E. Jeffrey and F. W. Campbell.
Gilman vs. Gilman, McIntyre & Wilson.
Conant vs. Conant, W. H. Mullin.
Edgell vs. Edgell, J. J. Harvey.
Norris vs. Norris, William F. Donovan.
Henry vs. Henry, F. C. Wright.
McConnell vs. McConnell, B. M. Fernald.
Grierson vs. Grierson, Burke & Corbett.
Weeks vs. Weeks, T. Hillis.
Cushman vs. Cushman, Weed and Weed.
Coffin vs. Coffin, J. T. Wilson.
Raymond vs. Raymond, Nathan D. Pratt.
Harrington vs. Harrington, McIntyre & Wilson.
Trimble vs. Trimble, W. H. Preble.
Crocker vs. Crocker, F. C. Wright.

CONTESTED DIVORCE CASES.

Harding vs. Harding.
Guerin vs. Guerin.
Malloy vs. Malloy.
Roach vs. Roach.
Fish vs. Fish.
Swift vs. Swift.
Spaulding vs. Spaulding.
Shorey vs. Shorey.
Brown vs. Brown.
Farnsworth vs. Farnsworth.
Flinn vs. Flinn.

JURY WAIVED CASES.

Parish of Medford vs. City of Medford.
Danforth vs. Groton Water company.
McIntyre, Judge vs. Smythe et als.
Morton vs. Gilchrist and trustees.
Rodger vs. Ruddock et als.
Welch vs. Ennis, alias.
McSorley et al vs. Gerrish, Jr.
Kelly vs. St. Onge.
Welsh vs. Fay et als.
Sprague vs. Town of Chelmsford.
Doherty et al vs. Wright company.
Moulton, ad'x vs. Suffolk Savings bank for Seamen and others.
Moulton ad'x vs. Home Saving bank.
Moulton ad'x, vs. Boston Five Cent Savings bank.
Welsh vs. Flynn et als.
Cooney vs. Gilmore.
Hobson et als. Tr's vs. Glendon club et als.
Pasho vs. Crosby and trustees.
Rogers vs. Tighe.
Hope, petitioner, vs. Thompson.
Faulkner 1, petitioner to bar action on mortgage.
Newman, Admr. vs. Briggs and Allyn Manufacturing Co.
O'Neill vs. Dunn.
McIntyre, judge, etc., vs. Williams et al.
The E. C. Andrews Co. vs. Henry Thayer.
Flood vs. O'Neil.
Franklin et al., petitioner vs. Houde.
Huard, petitioner, vs. Kelley.
Raymond vs. Carkin.
Page vs. New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad.
Jamieson et al. vs. Doyle.
Woods vs. Daley.
Richardson vs. Cutter.
Allard et al. vs. Morris.
Donnelly vs. Cahill.
Fullick, administrator, vs. Danforth.
Faplano vs. Kelly.
Larkin vs. Shields.
Hoag vs. Cambridge Gas Light Co.

EQUITY CASES.

Danforth vs. Groton Water Co.
Doherty, admx. vs. Doherty.
O'Connell vs. Donahoe, et al.
Cowley vs. O'Connell, et al.
Cushman et al. vs. Graden, et al.
Bennison vs. Plymouth and Sandwich street railway.
Donahue vs. McNally.

MONTHLY SOCIABLE

AT THE FIRST TRINITARIAN CHURCH.

The regular monthly sociable of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the First Trinitarian church, which was held in the vestry, was an event of unusual interest and importance.

The attendance was larger than at any of the other sessions of the organizations this year. From 5.30 to 7.30 supper was served in the two wide vestries under the general direction of Mrs. C. G. Sherman, Mrs. W. H. Fuller and Mrs. L. A. Brigham. The entertainment consisted of a one-act comedy presented by members of Mrs. Kenngott's Sunday school class, and entitled, "Mrs. Willis' Will."

The cast of the characters was as follows: Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Willis' executrix; Mrs. Leo Jelly, Lally Spindle, absurdly haughty and dignified; Miss Roxie Henderson, Mrs. Dwindle, poetess and lady of fashion, Miss Mabelle Dent; Jenny, a servant, Miss Blanche Boardman; Rachel, Mrs. Robinson's housekeeper, Mrs. Elizabeth Spofford. The piece was well presented and kept the audience in a state of constant merriment.

It was announced that Mrs. Kenngott's Sunday school class will give a musicale next Wednesday evening in aid of the Gipsy Village to be held Dec. 8 and 9.

The pastor stated that the Amherst Glee, Mandolin and Banjo club will give a concert at the church Thanksgiving night, under the auspices of the Men's League.

RODGER ENTERTAINED.

Andrew R. Rodger, the crack marksman of Company C, who won two first prizes at the recent shoot at Walnut Hill, was given a jollification at the armory last night, a clambake being the feature of the evening. During the evening a fine literary and musical program was carried out.

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For reasons good and sufficient to myself, and because I feel it a duty that can no longer be delayed even though the season be late, I shall sell to such persons as will make the highest bids at Peremptory Auction Sale, the fourteen lots of land owned by me on the 50 ft. street leaving Mammoth Road opposite Third Avenue and going across to Varnum Avenue via Waterford and Starbird Streets, or adjoining in the rear Varnum Avenue estates of F. S. Coburn, Dr. J. J. Colton and Geo. W. Coburn.

The premises formerly belonged to the Patrick Cummiskey estate, and possess an area of over 65,000 square feet, now laid out in streets and divided into lots varying in size from 3215 to 5650 square feet. The frontages run from 38 to 55 feet, and there are six corner lots. On the opposite side of the street are two new houses, the cellars and foundations are in for two more, and the cellars in for another two; beyond the land, the street is all improved to Starbird Street on one side, and partially so on the other with snug and pretty homes.

The land lies well and cuts up splendidly; the neighborhood is quiet and respectable; all city conveniences are at hand; excellent street car services are within two minutes' walk; schools, churches and business are near enough; the prices to be realized will in all probability be within the reach of hundreds of purchasers; and the chance for almost anyone who would establish for himself a comfortable home, easily and quickly reached from down town, within handy walking distance from all sorts of employment, seems truly a good one. When you go to an owner to buy, you must pay HIS price. When he comes to you he must take YOUR price. And the best of all, for the purchaser, is when property is honestly pledged without limit or reserve to the highest bidder at public sale, as this is.

Purchasers must deposit with or secure to the Auctioneers from $25 to $50 on each lot, as requested by the Auctioneers, as soon as each lot is struck off. The sale will take place on Wednesday, the 18th day of November, 1903, and, regardless of the weather, will begin promptly at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

GEORGE LYNCH.

THE SHAWLIGHTS

Held Delightful Concert and Dancing Party

IN PRESCOTT HALL LAST EVENING

The Event Was a Great Success

The Shawlight Canoe and Athletic club, one of the most popular organizations of this city, held a concert and dancing party in Prescott hall last evening, and like every event conducted by this club proved a great success from every point of view. The hall was not decorated with bunting or tri-colored streamers, neither was the orchestra obscured from view by potted plants, as has often been the case, but it was a delightful event nevertheless and the 600 people in attendance were unanimous in the belief that the Shawlights were great entertainers.

THOMAS POOLE,
Chairman Reception Committee.

The concert which preceded the dancing was furnished by the club's own talent, and to say the least, it was worth the price of admission alone. Usually when a concert precedes dancing, the audience refrains from applauding the talent with a view of hurrying along the dancing, but last night proved an exception to the rule, for, if all the encores demanded were responded to, it would be safe to state that the concert would have still been in progress at midnight, so delighted was the audience with the musical treat provided by the young men.

The first number was a piano solo by Richard Noonan. The next was a beautiful solo by George P. Daley, entitled "Always in the Way." Martin H. Maguire demonstrated that his sweet tenor voice has lost none of its charms by the manner in which he rendered "Like a Star When it Falls From Heaven." Thomas Poole displayed a rich voice in "Down on the Farm." Thomas B. Murphy's bass voice was heard to good advantage in "I'm Wearing My Heart Away for You." The concluding number was a selection by the Shawlight quartet, and although it was their initial appearance, they scored a decided hit. The quartet consists of Martin H. Maguire, first tenor; George P. Daley, second tenor; Joseph F. Tuttle, baritone, and Thomas B. Murphy, bass.

Richard Noonan was accompanist and his work was up to his usual excellence.

Immediately following the concert dancing to the strains of Hibbard's orchestra was indulged in until midnight, and it was with reluctance that the merry gathering waltzed to the music of "Home, Sweet Home."

Floor Director George P. Daley performed his duties in a very efficient manner. He was ably assisted by Frank P. Duggan and William F. Quinlan as assistant floor director and chief aid respectively, and a large corps of aids.

The success of the affair is due to the untiring efforts of the following efficient officers:

General manager, John W. Maguire; assistant general manager, John A. Robertshaw; floor director, George P. Daley; assistant floor director, Frank P. Duggan; chief aid, William F. Quinlan; aids, Thomas B. Murphy, Martin H. Maguire, Patrick J. Coughlin, William P. Duggan, John J. Carney, Arthur P. Provencher, Arthur E. Moran, John J. Downey, Charles F. King.

Reception committee, Thomas Poole, chairman; assistants Charles F. McQuillan, John R. Kiggins, Thomas J. Daley, John J. Hardy, J. Edward Carney, George E. Hammond, and Almeda Bellanger.

SPURIOUS $20 BILLS

BEING CIRCULATED IN PROVIDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 12—Chief Murphy of the New England branch of the United States secret service, arrived in Providence Tuesday and yesterday secured four of the counterfeit $20 bills circulated in business houses Saturday. The local detectives are working in conjunction with the United States detectives on the case, but have no clue as to who the men passing out the spurious money are.

CITY OF SALEM

HAS FAILED TO FURNISH A SUITABLE ARMORY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SALEM, Mass., Nov. 12—Mayor Peterson has received notification from the attorney general's office to the effect that the governor, as commander-in-chief of the militia, has reported that the city of Salem has failed to furnish a suitable armory for Company H of the Eighth infantry, in violation of the statutes.

The communication adds that unless some arrangement is speedily made for a suitable quarter, action will be taken under the statute.

INTERESTING MEETING

HELD BY CANTON PAWTUCKET, I. O. O. F.

The regular monthly meeting of Canton Pawtucket, No. 9, I. O. O. F., was held in Odd Fellows' Temple, Middlesex street, last evening.

After the routine business was transacted the election of field officers of the 4th Regiment as regards this Canton was concerned, occurred. Lieut. Col. M. D. Brown presided.

The result was: For colonel, George A. Childs; A. E. Bliss for brigadier-general; Charles L. Lench for lieutenant-colonel; George H. Stevens for major. Then followed the election of officers for the Canton: A. E. Lyford was elected commandant; Fred G. Baldwin, lieut.; Elliott Morgan, ensign; Asa B. Hilliard, clerk; Major E. D. Bearce, accountant.

The members voted to hold a concert and ball in 1904 and the following members were appointed to make arrangements for the same: Chev. Laforest Beals, chairman; Fred Osterhout, Capt. George H. Stevens, Lieut. Col. M. D. Brown, Ensign F. G. Baldwin, Capt. A. E. Lyford.

At the close of business all adjourned to the banquet hall where refreshments were served and brief speeches made.

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